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Senator Herring is laying a stone pavement at the rear of his property.

Next Monday is Memorial Day. The program appears elsewhere in this paper.

The foundation walls are built for the new dwelling house of W. C. Richart, corner of Iron and Third Streets.

James P. Thornton has been engaged as sexton at the Episcopal Church.

Ent Post, G. A. R. will attend the Methodist Church in a body next Sunday morning.

A $50,000 fire occurred at Bellefonte on Wednesday, destroying an immense grain warehouse.

The members of O. U. A. M., are requested to meet at their hall on Memorial Day at 1.30 p. m. sharp in full regalia.

The Normal School excursion to Central was postponed from last Saturday to Thursday, on account of bad weather.

The District Grand Chiefs of the Knights of the Golden Eagle for Columbia County are J. Lee Harman, Bloomsburg, C. B. Spurr, Centralia.

The Globe Minstrels will give an entertainment in the Opera House this Friday evening. They have been hard at work rehearsing, and it is said that they will give a good performance.

A huge culm bank at L. A. Riley & Co's Logan Colliery, near Centralia, is on fire and a gang of men are fighting the flames, which are spreading rapidly.

Edward Lunger died at his home in Benton township on Thursday, May 12th, after a lingering illness, aged 40 years. He leaves a wife and three children.

Bacon Hess sent two fine trout down to James Hendershot on Tuesday. One measured 17 inches. They were caught by him near his home at Cole's Creek.

Members of the press are invited to accompany Ent Post on Memorial Day morning to the several points annually visited by them to decorate the graves of soldiers.

John Rose committed suicide at Milton because his home was to be sold on Saturday. The sale went on, with Rose's remains lying on the floor, unknown to auctioneer and purchasers who collected outside.

Prof. Morris, principal of the Public Schools at Catawissa, has a tempting offer made him for California. One place he is offered $1500, another $1200. The directors of Catawissa will make an effort to retain him.

The funeral of Mrs. D. P. Butler who died at her home on Catharine street on Tuesday morning after a lingering illness, took place in St. Paul's Church on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Her husband and two sons survive her.

Policeman Thomas arrested a man last week Thursday for purchasing liquor for Friday Dehart. The prisoner was discharged by the President of Council on account of ignorance of having committed an offense, but the next man arrested on such a charge cannot plead ignorance.

Owing to the facts that the pavement was torn up around the church, the Rector was suffering from a severe cold, and no sexton had been secured to take charge of the church, and pump the organ, the evening service at St. Paul's Church was omitted last Sunday evening.

Chas. P. Elwell, having returned from Boston, where he has been a music student for the past three years, will give lessons on piano or violin. Piano lessons in New England Conservatory Method, violin in German method, as taught by Emil Mahr, of N. E. Conservatory, and Henry Heindl of Boston Symphony Orchestra. Also lessons in harmony and instrumentation. 2t.

The attention of the School Board having been called to the impure water in the well at Fifth street building, on account of drainage from the privy vault and stables adjacent to it, it was directed that the well be dismantled. Some cases of diphtheria in that neighborhood, during the past winter, were attributed to the use of water from the well. It may inconvenience a few families, but the general public will be benefitted by the abandonment of the well.

JOHN M. BARTON.

John M. Barton died at the Danville Hospital for the Insane on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. He had been suffering from an attack of erysipelas for about two weeks, but his condition was not considered alarming. On Wednesday morning the doctor called on him, and found him about as usual, but a few moments later an attendant called the doctor back saying that Mr. Barton was worse. Before the doctor could get to him he was dead.

The deceased was a son of the late Caleb Barton, and was aged sixty-seven years and eight months. He was twice married, his only child, Mrs. C. W. Funston, being the daughter of his first wife. His second wife was Mrs. Hannah Diehl, daughter of Newton Boone. He was engaged in business in Philadelphia for several years. For the past few years he has been an invalid. He was clerk at the Montour House, Danville for a number of years. He was a man of very kindly disposition, and had many friends. He was a brother of Mrs. A. A. Butler, N. W. Barton, and Mrs. I. W. McKelvy deceased. The remains were brought home on Wednesday night, and the funeral took place at the house of his daughter, Mrs. Funston, this Friday morning at 10.30 o'clock, Rev. W. C. Leverett officiating.

He was an Odd Fellow, and the members of Van Camp Lodge I. O. O. F., attended the funeral in a body.

The funeral of Abraham W. Fry took place on Sunday afternoon at his late residence at 2 o'clock. The attendance was very large. The services were conducted by Rev. P. A. Heilman, Pastor of the Lutheran church, of which Mr. Fry had been a consistent member for many years. For twenty two years he taught the infant class in the Sunday school. Rev. W. C. Leverett assisted in the services, Mr. Fry having been sexton of the Episcopal church for the past nine years. As the funeral cortege moved to the cemetery, the Lutheran and Episcopal bells were tolled. The choir of St. Paul's church, with whom Mr. Fry had met regularly for the past year, sang two hymns at the house, it being the first occasion on which they have sung at a funeral.

Mr. Fry was born in Bloomsburg, and had resided for forty-five years in the house where he died. He was a man of very genial temperament, and was especially fond of children. He was "Uncle Abe", or "Grandpap" to everybody, and there was many a tear shed over the remains of the good old man.

At a meeting of the Vestry of St. Paul's church held on Monday evening, May 23, the following action was taken:

WHEREAS it has pleased Almighty God to remove suddenly from this life Mr. Abraham W. Fry, who has been for nine years the Sexton of St. Paul's church.

Resolved.—That the Rector and Vestry of the church deplore his sudden death, and send to Mrs. Fry this expression of their sincere sympathy, praying God's comfort for her in this time of her great affliction.

Mrs. Abbie Herring died at her late residence on Penn street, Bloomsburg, on Tuesday morning at five o'clock, aged 81 years. She was confined to her bed for about three weeks. Four daughters, Mrs. Charles Brown, Mrs. Hannah Weiss, Mrs. Mary Kitchen, and Mrs. Elmira Phillips, survive her. She was a member of the Lutheran church for many years. Funeral Services were held Thursday, conducted by Rev. P. A. Heilman, pastor of the Lutheran church.

Fire in Locust Township.

The house of Wm. E. Fetterman, near Snyder's mill, was destroyed by fire on Thursday last, the only portion of its contents saved was a trunk and a little bedding from the second story, and some of the furniture down stairs, about $30.00 worth in all.

The family had eaten dinner but a short time previous and were out in the field planting corn. Mr. Fetterman, who is a huckster, discovered the fire while on his way from the field to the barn to hitch up. It is supposed that a spark from the chimney lodged upon the roof and was fanned into a flame by the high wind which prevailed. He carried an insurance in the Locust Mutual Fire Insurance of $400 on the house and contents, $150 on clothing, etc., and $100 on provisions. He will realize about $600 from the total amount, and his loss is upwards of $1.000.—*Catawissa News Item.*

After several postponements the Normal Excursion took place on Thursday.

WALLER.

Mr. W. E. Lutz commenced a select school here on Monday. We need a longer term of school here and he will no doubt have a good attendance, but it would perhaps have been more largely attended if it would have been opened sooner as some have gone to attend other schools.

Miss Luella Mendenhall, of Lewisburg, is visiting her parents and friends at this place.

Misses Alverda Everhart and Josephine Horn will represent the Union Sunday School, as delegates to the County Convention at Orangeville next week.

The funeral of James Evans of Pine township was held here on Monday. Rev. S. I. Shortess conducted the services.

Bishop Breyfogel of Reading will preach here next Sunday morning. He will also be present at the Sunday School Institute on Saturday. It is very seldom that a bishop ever preaches here, and with but few, if any exceptions, we can say this will be the first one that has ever visited us.

Yet there remains quite a bit of corn to be planted around here; even if the grangers and alliance men are hustling around in such a lively way; still such weather as we have been having is about as favorable to one as the other.

EAST BENTON.

John Baker, of this township, is in his 78th year and remarkably active for a man of his years. He is a staunch democrat and a reader of the COLUMBIAN, and several other leading democratic journals.

Samuel Gibbons of this place is seriously ill with pneumonia. The family is in a manner helpless, as Reuben, the father of Samuel is in his 80th year and Mrs. Reuben is in delicate health.

Just now it is unusually wet and cool.

Corn planting is now in the prime of its season.

The wheat prospect was never in a more promising condition in this community than at present.

Fruit of all kinds may be looked for in abundance from present appearances.

The *Benton Argus* is a spicy, neatly printed, and a well gotten up paper and deserves the patronage of every citizen of Benton township, as well as a large circulation in all points of the county. Its editor is progressive, fearless and decisive. We will take the Argus as soon as we can handle more papers, and we would welcome all the papers in two counties and many outside, if we had the means of getting them here. There is no loss in plenty of papers, as all of them being valuable information. A newspaper education is the most speedy and all those exercised thereby are educated on all topics and events to the latest moment that they can possibly transpire. Essentially necessary as both are, public schools and newspapers, if we were obliged to do without either, we unhesitatingly say, we would prefer to do without public schools, rather than do without newspapers. True, education without both would be a slow progress. Thanks for both.

A short time ago Mrs. Lee Golder of Cambra, escaped uninjured with her babe from what might have proved fatal to both. Driving a pony hitched to a road cart and destined to Stillwater, the animal from some cause or other became unmanageable and ran away, stopping in Nathan Tubb's barn yard. Mrs. Golder became entangled or fastened in the cart and in the event of a wreckage she would have been dragged to death.

Mrs. Jackson Crawford, formerly of Shickshinny, now of this place, last Saturday was taken suddenly very ill.

The first quarterly meeting of this conference year was held at the Hamiline church last Saturday. The Lord's Supper was administered on Sunday.

There will be an abundance of rabbits this coming game season.

We congratulate Judge Ikeler for remitting the fine imposed upon the boys for capturing the stray deer that crossed their path in its pursuit of captors. The boys were not hunting, and when the buck came along the temptation for capturing him was too great for any mortal to resist, and Judge Ikeler did perfectly right. It was on his part an act of justice in every sense of the word. An uncriminal petty grievance should never succeed to be avenged, and such we think is the intent of the law.

Every man in town is invited to the Men's meeting next Sunday at 2:30 p. m. J. S. Wilson will lead the meeting. The male choir will furnish music.

MEMORIAL DAY, MONDAY, MAY 30, 1892.

PROGRAM IN BLOOMSBURG.

At 2.30 P. M. all taking part in the exercises except the Normal School, will report to the Marshal on Market Square where the line will form and move up Main street to the Normal School, where the Philologian and Calliepian Societies will join the line. Marching down Main to Centre, up Centre to the Cemetery. Dirge by the Bloomsburg Cornet Band. Ritual services, Decorating, Music while decorating, by the Y. M. C. A. Choir and Band.

The Philologians and Calliepians will decorate through the cemetery assisted by members of the Ent Post. Also the graves in the circle.

Sons of Veterans will decorate in the old grave yard.

After decorating all will return to the circle.

The line will form and move to the Opera House, where the addresses will be delivered in the following order:

Opening Prayer.
Music by the Y. M. C. A. Choir.
Address by Rev. Heilman.
Music.

All ministers invited on the stand.

All places of business will close from 2 to 5 P. M.

C. P. Sloan, Chief Marshal.
P. S. Moyer, Assistant.

COMMITTEE.

T. Holder.	R. J. Morris.
F. M. Gilmore.	P. S Moyer.
T. M. Dawson.	Wm. Swentzel.

ST. ANDREW'S BROTHERHOOD.

The Brotherhood of St. Andrew is an organization of the Protestant Episcopal Church. It has its General Council and Central Headquarters, with branches or chapters throughout the Country. Its growth has been remarkable. The present Rector of St. Paul's Church formed a Chapter of the Brotherhood in this town in 1887, which Chapter was 136. Now, just five years later, there are over eight hundred Chapters in the United States, comprising thousands of young men.

It has a Constitution of which Article 1st is as follows;

OBJECT.—The sole object of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew is the spread of Christ's Kingdom among young men, and to this end every man desiring to become a member thereof must pledge himself to obey the Rules of the Brotherhood so long as he shall be a member. These Rules are two: The Rule of Prayer and the Rule of Service, The Rule of Prayer is to pray daily for the spread of Christ's Kingdom among young men and for God's blessing upon the labors of the Brotherhood. The Rule of Service is to make an earnest effort each week to bring at least one young man within hearing of the Gospel of Jesus Christ as set forth in the services of the Church and in young men's Bible class.

The name of St. Andrew is given to this Brotherhood because St. Andrew was the first disciple of our Lord and he "brought his brother to Jesus."

The officers of the Chapter in Bloomsburg are the Rector of St. Paul's Church, President; Dr. S. B. Arment, Director; Mr. John G. Harman, Secretary and Treasurer.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., post office and will be sent to the dead letter office June 7, 1892.

Mr. Edward Brewer, L. D. Conrad, Miss Maggie Hertz, Ruben Hess, Harvy B. Leach, Miss Bertie Martin, Miss Mattie B. Robbins

CARDS—J. E. Lance.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they were advertised May 24, 1892. One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

A. B. CATHCART, P. M.

MILLVILLE.

No doubt the market will be over run with chickens this spring, as Richard & Brison have erected a pair of nice pen houses.

J. P. Eves Post G. A. R. of this place have issued the following program for Decoration day:

Detail No. 1 will go to Rohrsburg, Lemons and Greenwood to decorate. Detail No. 2 will go to White Hall and Jerseytown; after decorating these various places, they will return to Millville for dinner; at 1.30 they will parade to the graveyard here, returning to the Free Church where a memorial sermon will be preached by Comrade Monroe. The Ladies are especially invited to contribute flowers at the different places of decoration.

Miss Allie Kester has a fine stock of Ladies' fancy goods. Her show windows are very attractive. It will pay those wishing such goods to give her a call.

The G. A. R. Post expect to get up a fourth of July celebration.

Ida Eves is lying sick at the home of her sister Alcesta Sands in east Millville.

C. R. Henrie has been appointed town treasures.

R. L. Rich is building a straw shed to his barn. Rob. Bardo is doing the carpenter work.

Teachers' Examinations, 1892.

The examinations of applicants for schools in Columbia county, will be held as follows:

Bloom—In High School Building, Wednesday, June 8th;
Franklin and Catawissa—At Catawissa, Thursday, June 9th;
Briarcreek and Berwick—At Berwick, Friday, June 10;
Centralia and Conyngham—At Centralia, Wednesday and Thursday, June 15th and 16th;
Montour—At Rupert, Friday, June 24th;
Hemlock—At Buckhorn, Monday, June 27th;
Benton, Sugarloaf and Jackson—At Benton, Thursday, July 7th;
Fishingcreek—At Forks, Friday, July 8th;
Scott—At Espy, Thursday, July 14th;
Centre—At Grange Hall, Friday, July 15th;
Beaver and Main—At Mainville, Wednesday, July 20th;
Mifflin—At Mifflinville, Thursday, July 21st;
Roaringcreek and Locust—At the Lower Slabtown School House, Friday, July 22nd;
Pine—At Iola, Wednesday, July 27th;
Mt. Pleasant—At Millertown, Saturday, July 30th;
Orange—At Orangeville, Wednesday, August 3rd;
Millville and Greenwood—At Millville, Friday, August 5th;
Madison—At Jerseytown, Monday, August 8th.

Special examinations will be held at Bloomsburg, in the High School Building, Saturday, September 17th, and Saturday, October 8th.

All persons expecting to teach in county—whether *summer* or *winter* term—should attend the examination in the district in which they expect to teach, as no special examination will be granted, except upon a written application, signed by at least three members of the Board, desiring to employ said applicant.

The examinations will commence at 9 o'clock A. M.

All directors are respectfully invited to be present.

The next Annual Teacher's Institute will be held in Bloomsburg, December 19—23, 1892.

Suggestions from teachers and others in regard to the arrangement of the program for the next Institute, will be cheerfully received. The same must be sent in not later than July 1st.

W. C. JOHNSTON,
County Superintendent.

SHOOTING MATCH.

A grand shooting tournament will be held on the Benton Fair Grounds, on Tuursday, June 2, commencing at 9 o'clock a. m. using Blue Rock Targets. All sportsmen are invited to attend and take part in the event. Should the weather prove unfavorable on the above date, postponement will be made to Thursday following, extra events to suit shooters. The match will be under the auspices of the Benton Gun Club.

The ministers of the M. E. Church of the Danville District met in the Bloomsburg M. E. Church on Monday. There were afternoon and evening sessions, at which addresses were made. The special subject under discussion was the spirituality of the camp meeting.

PERSONAL.

Miss Mary Unangst is visiting her brother in New York City.

Mrs. E. N. Perrin and son of New York are visiting at F. P. Drinker's.

Mrs. Reber of Lewisburg is visiting at her son's Dr. W. M. Reber.

Prof. L. P. Sterner spent this week in Philadelphia visiting the schools.

Miss Grace Harman is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Louis Cohen spent last week in New York City.

Judge and Mrs. Elwell went to Towanda on Tuesday.

L. A. German Esq. of Derrs was in town on business last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Layton Runyon will start for Minneapolis on June 1.

C. D. Spigelmyer of Williamsport was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Miles Smith formerly of Jerseytown, has moved from Milton, to East Liverpool, Ohio.

Dr. G. Stuart Kirby of Mauch Chunk spent Sunday in town with his family who are visiting at Mr. I. S. Kuhn's,

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Buckalew went to Hazleton on Tuesday, being called there by the illness of Mrs. Buckalew's sister.

Judge Ikeler and Senator Herring were among the guests at the annual banquet of the Lycoming county bar held last Saturday evening at the Hotel Updegraff, Williamsport.

Mr. I. L. Snyder has moved from Rock Glen to Hazleton and his address is 278 North Laurel street. He is in the employ of the Pennsylvania R. R. Co. and has recently been promoted to a position of operator and clerk. He has many friends in this county who will gladly learn of his progress.

H. J. Clark & Son have a new safe in their store.

Thomas Gorry is laying a concrete pavement at his West street property.

The Commencement exercises of the State College will be held June 12th to 15th inclusive.

William Fleckenstine has sold his livery stable and stock to C. P. Girton and A. C. Hidlay, who will take possession about June 1st.

The Columbia County Sunday School Convention will meet next Tuesday and Wednesday in Orangeville. Persons going by rail will please notice a change of time.

Besides the extensive addition to their house corner of Third and West streets, Alexander Bros. and Louis Cohen are laying a concrete pavement. They will have a fine property when completed.

Our office has been in a confused state for the past week, owing to important changes being made in the machinery. In a few days we shall be better equipped than ever before, and can turn out nearly double the quantity of job work that we have heretofore done.

Prof. G. E. Wilbur received a letter on Wednesday from Mrs. V. C. Ward of Columbus, Ohio, announcing the death of her mother in Scotland, whither she had gone on a visit. Her father died only recently. Mrs. Ward was formerly Miss Marion I. Imrie, teacher of drawing at the Normal School.

Mrs. Jenness Miller will lecture on Dress Reform in the Opera House, on Saturday 28th inst. at 3 p. m., having been engaged by the Young Womens' Christain Association of the Normal School. A collection will be taken up to pay the rent for the hall. Tickets of admission can be obtained of Mrs. Grant Herring, Miss Flora Jones, Miss Dora Marr, Miss May Sharpless, Mrs. D. J. Waller Jr., Miss C. Welliver, Miss Garrison, or Miss Harvey.

Miss Marie H. Bishop, who is about to leave Williamsport for study in New York, has again been lucky in a newspaper contest. The *Canadian Queen*, a family newspaper published in Toronto for $1 a year, offers prizes very often. The last prize was a ticket to Europe and $300. Miss Bishop, in trying for this, received a special prize of a very pretty diamond ring for sending the first correct answer on a certain day. This does not effect her position in the contest, which will close June 2.

The great reason for the success of Hood's Sarsaparilla is found in its positive merit. It cures where other preparations fail.

THREE DOVES.

Seaward, at morn, my doves flew free;
At eve they circled back to me.
The first was Faith; the second, Hope;
The third—the whitest—Charity.

Above the plunging surge's play
Dream-like they hovered, day by day.
At last they turned, and bore to me
Green signs of peace through nightfall gray

No shore forlorn, no loveliest land
Their gentle eyes had left unscanned,
'Mid hues of twilight heliotrope
Or daybreak fires by heaven-breath fanned.

Quick visions of celestial grace
Hither they waft, from earth's broad space,
Kind thoughts for all humanity.
They shine with radiance from God's face.

Ah, since my heart they choose for home,
Why loose them—forth again to roam?
Yet look: they rise! With loftier scope
They wheel in flight towards Heaven's pure dome.

Fly, messengers that find no rest
Save in such toil as makes man blest!
Your home is God's immensity;
We hold you but at his behest.
—George Parsons Lathrop, in the Independent.

AN UMBRELLA EPISODE.

BY JUNIOR.

"I beg pardon!" "Excuse me!" A pair of black eyes and a pair of blue eyes met defiantly, while a small white hand and a large white hand each grasped the handle of an umbrella.

"This umbrella is mine, I think; did you wish to use it?" murmured black eyes with polite fierceness.

"I am sure it is mine. I bought it last year, and have never seen another like it," answered blue eyes, with a firm hand on the article in question.

Vexation and polite unbelief were expressed on each face. Then the gentleman, with an indulgent, provoking little smile said:

"If it is mine, I can show you my name on the inside, if you will allow me to open it."

"Very well, pray do so," said she, stepping back.

He opened it, and behold! inside was a small tag with "Richard Ransome" inscribed thereon. She fell back in confusion, rosy red and humiliated.

"I am very sorry! I beg your pardon! Where can mine be? I am sure I left it here!" she exclaimed in distress, glancing at the falling rain without.

He magnanimously joined in the search, but no duplicate umbrella could be found. He was ashamed of his ill-temper, and also made the discovery that she was a lovely girl; so, much to Lucy Deane's dismay, he insisted upon escorting her home.

She felt very much like a convicted thief, and wondered if he believed that she had ever really had an umbrella like his.

"I am afraid our evening has not been as successful as we hoped," he remarked hesitatingly, touching upon a topic about which both were sensitive.

"Oh, no! I am so disappointed! It didn't seem to take well—that is, they did not appreciate it as we thought they would—as they ought to have done, I mean—"

Lucy paused, conscious that she was making bad much worse. They had now reached a cross street which led to her home. Here she paused, and, acting on an impulse born of a desire to fly from what she felt must be his reproachful and indignant glances, she said:

"I see an old friend who is going past our door, and I will not trouble you farther. I am much obliged for your kindness. Good night." And then she hastily left him.

He stared after her, and saw her join a gentleman whose face, as seen in the struggling gaslight, showed both surprise and delight at being so honored.

Richard Ransome, on discovering that his umbrella rested on his shoulder and that the rain was beating on his shiny tile, pulled himself together and went on his way, soliloquizing as follows:

"Well, this is a queer place! Odd folks, especially the girls. Seemed in a great hurry to get rid of me. Didn't seem to take—evidently blames me, too. However, I don't usually talk to empty seats." Then he laughed. "Fancy me getting cross and rowing with that poor little girl about the umbrella! But she was game, and I had to prove my claim. She evidently thought I was determined to make sure of some remuneration for my services. Hope I shall see her again."

This hope was destined to be speedily realized. The next day when Mr. Ransome went to the society rooms to meet the committee for whom he had lectured Lucy Dean was there, and shyly apologized to him, for her blunder of the evening before. She explained that her mother had borrowed her umbrella without her knowledge. He found her pretty embarrassment very attractive, and asked for permission to call at her home; this was given him, and he soon availed himself of it. She was a merry, intelligent little thing, and her fits of shyness, when a sense of his awfulness as a dominie came over her, added a touch of piquancy which fascinated him.

He found Mrs. Dean, who was only a plumper and maturer Lucy, a pleasant companion when her daughter's conversation resolved itself into prim monosyllables, and he paid the elder lady so many flattering attentions that she was half inclined to believe Lucy's admirer her own. Indeed, Lucy might have been of that opinion too if it had not been for an occasional expression in his eyes, when they rested on her, which always brought the blood to cheek and brow.

As the days passed on, Mr. Ransome discovered that Lucy exactly realized his ideal of womanhood. The idea of a final separation from her was intolerable. When the time for him to resume his city duties drew near, he knew that he wanted to take her with him, that he desired her for his wife. But, puzzled by her shyness, he was not able to discover how she regarded him.

They were walking together one evening, when he suddenly resolved to end his suspense and ask her to become his wife. Lucy listened, dazed. She could not realize that her secret dreams had become real. The tremendous fact that he whom she had set upon a pedestal of dignity and learning was only a man, pleading for her love, seemed impossible to face. She could not lift her eyes to his, and when he tried to draw her nearer she felt a sudden, loving fear of him. Habit and girlish modesty were barriers too great to be overcome at once. She gave him one swift glance, and then broke away and fled toward home.

He stood there, gazing after the flying figure. Disappointed love, wounded pride and amazement struggled within him. He tried to think how he had offended her. He searched his memory to see if he had ever heard of any girl who had received a declaration of love in like manner. Alas! he had not. He sadly concluded that some other man must have been before him, and that she dreaded to tell him so.

"Even though she does not love me, she would have given me a chance if there were no one else," he said.

The next few days were wretched ones to both. Lucy knew that she had wounded Mr. Ransome, and was in despair because she had apparently rejected the love she really desired. She longed to tell him she was sorry, but felt that to do so would be to surrender entirely, and that she found as hard to do as ever. She hoped he would seek her again, and so force upon her the opportunity she was not brave enough to seek.

And then, alas! he came on the very afternoon on which she went for a walk down the secluded path where he had made his proposal, to live over again the scene which was ever in her thoughts.

Mr. Ransome approached the house with wavering courage, and on being informed that she was not at home, immediately concluded that she refused to see him; and he departed from the town forthwith.

He returned to his work and found some comfort in the old routine of his profession; yet he was a more restless man than he had ever been in all his busy life.

One afternoon, feeling the need of cheerful companionship, he started out, umbrella in hand, to call upon a lively friend who had been a former resident of the town where lived the Deans. Perhaps he secretly hoped to hear mention of his ungrateful lady love. He reached the place, and learning that his friend was at home, turned to place his umbrella in the rack, when, behold! there rested another exactly like his own. He felt sure that Lucy was within and stood a moment, debating on what was best to do. Finally a desire to see her again overcame all other feelings, and he entered the parlor. His hostess rose to greet him, and presented him to her friend Miss Dean.

Lucy received Mr. Ransome with composure. She may have recognized the possibility of meeting him as a contingency of her trip.

He made his call a short one and as Lucy returned home early that evening he did not see her again.

It was not until afterward that he discovered he was in possession of Miss Dean's umbrella instead of his own.

He was vexed beyond measure. The fact that he had committed such a blunder betrayed the state of his mind at their last meeting.

"She will think I made the exchange because of some silly, sentimental notion. I will return it to her and then throw mine away. I'll make it a purely business errand, and let her understand that I'm not in for any nonsense," he fumed.

Accordingly he went down to the village one bright evening. He walked from the station and wandered toward the spot where he had made his unlucky proposal.

"I'll just go and look at the place where she flouted me. It may serve to help me forget this worry over her that I can't get rid of," he muttered.

He reached the spot, and there he saw a little figure leaning against a young tree and weeping forlornly. His heart jumped and then stood still. He dropped the umbrella and sprang forward.

"Lucy!" he cried.

She turned toward him and held out her hands; and then—

They understood each other.

In the Blue Ridge.

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Acres	Warrantee or Owners.	Twps.	Taxes
28 acres	Bredsh & Co.	Beaver	$ 1 12
961/8 "	Columbia Coal & Iron Co.	"	131 75
3 lots	Beaver Jesse	"	1 98
25 acres	Brockway & Abbott	"	2 04
118 "	" "	"	3 98
3 lots	Brockway C. B.	"	1 98
1 "	Beaver Charles	"	56
3 "	Butt & Unger	"	1 98
1 "	Bogart Mary	"	56
2 "	Boyer F. S.	"	1 12
49 acres	Cox C. S. ex. Trench Cox	"	1 40
169 "	" " "	"	3 39
265 "	" " "	"	7 95
273 "	" " "	"	6 29
267 "	" " "	"	9 80
1 lot	Cannon M.	"	56
150 acres	Davis Isaac	"	21 02
178 "	" Anthony	"	3 19
100 "	Downs Martin	"	4 18
16 "	Downs John	"	44
3 lots	Evans & Reece	"	1 68
25 acres	Eckrote Peter	"	2 80
3 lots	Flanigan A.	"	1 68
3 "	Fry W. S.	"	1 68
1 "	Gearhart Wm.	"	56
1 "	" "	"	1 12
1/8 "	Hoffman E. G.	"	2 80
61 acres	Hauch Jonathan	"	8 40
3 lots	Hunt Elias	"	1 68
2 "	Henry George	"	1 12
1 "	Kline A.	"	56
3 "	Kahler George J.	"	1 68
2 "	Louis Frank	"	1 12
3 "	Lawrence W. K.	"	1 68
200 acres	Miller Henry	"	10 46
310 "	Moore William	"	8 40
180 "	Minick Conrad	"	4 19
103 "	" Benjamin	"	4 19
5 lots	Maston William	"	2 80
2 "	Patterson J. C.	"	2 80
3 "	Price Clarence	"	1 68
140 acres	Nungesser George	"	5 04
3 lots	McAlarney G. M.	"	1 68
2 "	" "	"	1 12
3 "	" "	"	1 68
2 "	" "	"	1 12
230 acres	Hinderliter Sarah Est.,	"	6 16
350 "	Reichart Charles	"	12 32
500 "	" "	"	14 10
75 "	" "	"	2 50
132 "	" "	"	4 61
3 lots	Ruthford Samuel	"	1 68
3 "	Shick J. J.	"	1 68
3 "	Smith J. W.	"	1 68
1/2 of 5 lots	Scott Peter	"	2 80
5 lots	Wetzel C. S.	"	2 80
3 "	Workheiser Samuel	"	1 68
1 "	Wood Augustus	"	57
3 "	Prout Stephen dec'd	"	1 68
300 acres	Steward William	"	7 00
140 "	Schweppenheiser I. K.	"	4 89
8 "	Shuman & Michael	"	23
75 "	Jacoby O. A.	"	2 80
51 "	Shuman F. L.	"	1 79
1-5 of 6 lots	Workheiser Samuel	"	2 01
3 lots	Klase H. W.	"	1 68
2 "	Wood Augustus	"	1 12
54 acres	Hughes Douglass	"	1 32
25 "	Wells Charles C.	"	50
50 of 300 acres	Apple Paul	Briarcreek	2 20
50 acres	Bender Christopher	"	1 09
40 "	Bower Isaiah	"	4 40
210 "	Bryan Guy	"	4 61
40 "	Bender Christopher	"	1 76
28 "	Clem Rev. W. T.	"	3 08
10 "	Adams Henry	"	44
48 "	Dodson Charles	"	5 28
10 "	Bender Christopher	"	24
14 "	Edwards Henry J.	"	33
21 "	Evans Francis	"	4 40
11 "	Eckroth George	"	53
66 "	Freas Fannie	"	1 12
19 "	Hippensteel Wm.	"	1 10
21 "	Hollopeter D. F.	"	46
14 "	Houch Samuel	"	65
16 "	Beach Nathan	"	35
75 "	" "	"	1 66
322 "	" "	"	7 08
160 "	Lemon Joseph	"	3 44
200 "	Pealer Samuel J.	"	4 40
300 "	" "	"	6 60
150 "	" "	"	3 29
100 "	Beach Nathan	"	2 20
250 "	Pealer Samuel J.	"	5 49
200 "	Reecer Abraham	"	4 40
10 "	Sitler Reuben H.	"	23
45 "	Schuyler Mrs. William	"	1 00
100 "	Sult John H.	"	2 20
1/8 of 14 acres	Sult Headley	"	17
7 acres	Stout Ellis	"	78
50 "	Sult John W.	"	3 08
300 "	Richard Lewis	"	4 59
393 "	Koons G. W.	"	9 03
1/8 of 14 acres	Stewart A. B.	"	17
207 acres	Dornbach Margaret	Catawissa	9 15
257 "	Keiner Robert	"	8 24
31 "	Newell Fred	"	69
18 "	Clewell William	"	1 50
11 "	Harder Thomas E.	"	2 38
7 "	Hower Moses	"	2 14
1 lot	Gerity Thomas	Centralia Boro	2 60
1 "	" "	"	2 08
6 lots	Lehigh & Mahanoy RR.	"	4 80
1 "	Sweeney Ellen V.	"	2 08
22 acres	Adams E. L.	Centre	2 32
8 "	Bellis Reuben	"	36
5 "	Delong William	"	36
5 lots	Fisher William	"	36
10 "	Hagenbuch E. D.	"	70
1 "	Hess Ellie	"	98
5 "	Keifer Franklin	"	36
3 1/8 acres	Whitemire Alem	"	12
10 "	Hagenbuch Wm.	"	70
429 "	Beam Joshua	Conyngham	15 98
401 "	Young John	"	64 17
40 "	Breisch Robert	"	6 05
8 "	Walker Lewis	"	34 90
2 lots	Dreisbach Lewis	"	1 51
2 "	Kramer A. W.	"	3 08
1 "	" "	"	1 81
1 "	McMamaman Felix	"	81
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1 "	" "	"	3 03
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300 "	Hoffman & Freas	"	10 80
250 "	Hutn William	"	45 90
21 "	Heide J. and G. W.	"	3 24
300 "	Kindt John & Co.	"	10 80
140 "	Lemon Thomas	"	7 56
20 "	Marr William	"	3 24
66 "	McHenry C. B. and Daniel	"	3 60
8 "	" Cyrus	"	2 70
"	Pealer George	"	54
1 "	Parks James Est	"	1 62
111 "	Richart Charles	"	12 78
35 "	Zaner John	"	3 17
50 "	Unangst M. H.	"	2 70
13 "	Kline John Est,	"	70
59 "	Rohrbach Wm.	Franklin	88
1 "	Loreman Jonathan	"	09
1 "	Manhart George	"	09
1 "	Hayhurst Ezra heirs.	"	09
1 "	Bibby Agustus	"	10
30 "	Loreman Johathan	"	1 25
2 "	Bibby James R.	"	17
1 "	" "	"	09
64 "	Albertson Miles & Bartly	Greenwood	4 64
40 "	Derr Iram	"	5 80
180 "	McEwen H. J.	"	8 70
10 "	Parker Anna	"	36
80 "	Moore A. L.	"	5 80
30 "	Appleman Lloyd P.	Hemlock	5 80
30 "	Campbell N. L.	"	3 70
10 "	Kindt Mathias	"	1 86
30 "	Neal & Pursel	"	5 70
5 "	Wright Levi Est.	"	77
20 "	Pursel Silvester	"	2 31
75 "	Bartch Franklin	Jackson	9 60
4 "	Miller Charles W.	"	2 56
288 "	Miller & Neyhart	"	24 40
216 "	" "	"	22 40
75 "	Hess Clinton	"	2 41
80 "	Dewalt Geo.	Locust	5 50
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43 "	Shaffer Henry	"	2 80
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6 "	Gingles T. H.	"	27
32 "	Johnson Chester	"	1 25
50 "	Hendershott E.	"	3 15
35 "	" "	"	1 25
20 "	Miller W. B.	"	4 40
125 "	Shoemaker Jacob	"	6 25
61 "	" "	"	5 00
18 "	" "	"	1 25
12 "	Demott Cyrus	"	2 50
8 "	Dildine C. M.	"	1 25
76 "	Shultz John and David	"	4 15
25 "	Cox Joel	"	1 00
14 "	Demott E. R.	"	94
50 "	Roat Daniel Heirs	"	75
46 "	Dasher Samuel	"	1 25
65 "	Welliver Catharine	"	4 12
14 "	Demot Calvin	"	9 50
50 "	Kronenick John	"	3 37
65 "	Wilson J. W.	"	2 50
25 "	Kelly Martin	"	1 25
21 "	Runyan Francis	"	1 00
24 "	Brockway & Ent	Main	2 65
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80 "	Catawissa Deposit Bank	"	5 30
2 "	Gearhart C. E. and Bro.	"	5 30
112 "	Miller Philip Est.	"	10 60
200 "	Richart Charles	"	15 90
108 "	" "	"	9 29
61 100	acres Schneck Brobst, Yetter and Hawk	"	1 32
7 acres	Snyder Abraham	"	1 87
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100 "	" "	"	5 30
100 "	" B. H.	"	2 65
600 "	Turbott William	"	15 90
50 "	Thomas Abel	"	3 99
4 "	Hawk W. H.	"	11
2 "	Derr Samuel	"	14
67 "	Durnbach Nemia	Mifflin	2 76
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13 "	" "	"	1 00
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75 "	Schweppenheiser I K.	"	5 88
30 "	" Horace	"	5 88
45 "	" "	"	2 46
92 "	Gearhart Charles	"	4 72
67 "	Yohe John R. Est.	"	2 76
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20 "	Cooper John A.	"	1 32
12 "	Boone S. V.	Mt. Pleasant	1 79
57 "	Krouse Hiram and Andrew	"	13 30
10 "	Jacoby Samuel	"	1 51
10 "	Pursel William	"	1 51
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138 "	Eves John	"	18 90
151 "	Eves C. W.	"	8 73
10 "	Newgester Isaac	"	1 98
80 "	Frick Geo. A. Est.	"	6 48
112 "	" "	"	9 03
38 "	Pursel James	"	3 24
100 "	Roberts & Cole	"	12 15
25 "	Keller R. M.	"	2 84
45 "	Kisner David	"	2 42
50 "	Lyons R. W.	"	4 05
20 "	" James Est.	"	1 37
50 "	Polk Wm.	"	4 05
50 "	Hamilton C. S.	"	4 05
50 "	Bucher Peter	Roaringcreek	1 88
250 "	Cox C. S. Ex. Trench Cox	"	16 20
16 "	" " "	"	1 30
200 "	" " "	"	6 00
60 "	" " "	"	1 80
142 "	Morris & Hughes	"	7 56
144 "	Reichart Charles	"	3 78
108 "	" "	"	4 05
140 "	" "	"	3 78
400 "	" "	"	16 20
40 "	Rice Abraham	"	1 08
155 "	Sult Peter	"	4 94
500 "	Shoup Abrsham	"	12 25
80 "	" "	"	2 94
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192 "	Buckalew Inva	Sugarloaf	22 25
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37 "	McHenry Daniel	"	8 00

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Also at the same time and place the following lots, pieces and parcels of Seated lands, returned by the tax collectors, are to be sold, under the provisions of an Act of Assembly, entitled, "An Act relating to the sale of lands for tax in Columbia county, approved March 5th, 1868.

Acres.	Warrantee or owners	Twps.	Taxes
5 lots	Maston Mrs. William	Beaver	$ 06
22 acres	Ruch M. A. Est.	Benton	4 68
3 "	Karns Mary J.	"	3 98
1 lot	Pursell Mrs E. B.	Bloom	37 50
1 "	Manning Henry A.	"	174 00
1 "	Vandersllce Henry W.	"	43 50
1 "	Unger Sarah Mrs.	Catawissa	12 20
1 "	Weaver Abigail	"	12 20
1 "	Long Mrs. Samuel	"	5 43
1 "	Rhawn & Hughes.	"	6 10
10 acres	Breish Martha	"	3 00
1 "	Gensil Daniel	"	15
1 lot	Keifer J. H.	"	3 00
3/4 acres	Gilbert Jacob	"	1 20
2/4 "	Shugars Harvey	"	6 30
1 lot	Monaghan Sarah	Centralia bor.	3 15
1 "	" Grace	"	3 15
1 "	Murphy Thomas	"	1 20
1 "	Hagerty Mrs. Maria	"	19 00
1 "	Grant Catharine	"	19 00
1 "	Gingles Mary A.	Centre	1 20
385 acres	Beasley Johnson	Conyngham	173 80
1 lot	Brown William	"	4 30
400 acres	Brown Nathaniel	"	364 00
1 lot	Collier Michael	"	2 15
1 "	Naughton Frank	"	6 46
1 "	Shields Bridget	"	2 40
1 "	McGuire Mrs. Bernard	"	6 45
1 "	McKernan Mrs. Thomas	"	5 40
3 "	Dewry Mrs. James	"	3 15
1 "	Gerity Thomas	"	69
40 acres	Force Russel	Fishingcreek	9 47
6 "	Long James	"	3 98
6 "	Overdorf Samuel	Franklin	2 36
11 "	Teitsworth Sarah	"	70
1 lot	Beagle George	Greenwood	4 30
1 "	" "	"	52
113 acres	Miller C. W.	"	1 40
114 "	" "	"	1 40
26 "	Ostrander Oliver	"	1 16
60 "	Hartman Jacob	Hemlock	3 98
1/4 lot	Neyhart Joseph	"	58
1 "	" Hiram	"	30
1/4 "	Tippett John	"	1 18
1 "	Tabb James Est.	"	94
2 acres	Ronsley Samuel	"	70
10 "	Brobst David	"	4 63
113 "	Hartman Bros.	"	11 10
11 "	" Wm.	"	2 78
1/4 "	Scott J. B.	"	2 78
80 "	Glassmeyer Francis F.	Locust	15 75
60 "	Fahringer Charles	"	10 11
13 "	" "	"	2 70
65 "	Brofee John	"	9 45
5 "	Mary Gearheart	"	2 70
1/4 lot	" "	"	1 36
15 acres	Honaberger Brine	"	5 60
13 lot	Helwig William	"	2 70
31 acres	Holoway W. K.	"	7 00
21 "	Rishel George	"	5 40
96 "	Shaffer H. W	"	4 30
24 "	Thomas Joseph	"	8 40
1 "	Haines Joseph	Madison	4 24
8 lot	Halderman Henry	"	39
30 acres	Kreamer J. & Wm. Moore	"	4 50
50 "	Shoemaker J. G.	"	3 39
1 "	Sands James	"	1 12
5 lot	Thomas Harry Est.	"	1 35
30 acres	Welliver Valentine	"	5 25
134 "	Robinson George	Main	9 60
14 "	Endy and Andrews	Mifflin	1 74
10 "	Eckroth Charles Est.	"	1 45
16 "	" Hiram	"	88
1 lot	Harmony John	"	71
1 "	Peifer John	"	1 45
1 "	Keller H. J.	"	16
22 acres	Brosious A. J.	"	88
lots	Kramer A. W.	"	74
12 acres	Kirkendall Nathan	"	74
32 "	Redline Benjamine	"	4 82
1 lot	Neyhart Hiram	Montour	2 90
15 acres	Benfield Thomas	Mt. Pleasant	1 24
144 "	Thomas Even	"	15
33 "	Waller D. J.	"	4 95
1 lot	Rush Theodore	Orange	2 80
67 acres	Wetheral Clark	Pine	3 12
50 "	Young Michael	"	1 95
20 "	Platt John	"	70
1 lot	Crawford Francis	Scott	1 25
7 acres	Columbia Lime & S. Co.	"	1 65
2 lots	Edgar T. W.	"	29 40
2 "	Milnes Wm. Est	"	4 80
1 "	Shaffer Barton	Sugarloaf	1 60
1 "	Waller D. J. sr	"	3 83
1 "	Willits I. W.	"	1 60
1 "	Wheeler Thomas	"	8 00
1 "	McKelvy Kate	"	1 60
132 acres	Seward Nathaniel	"	8 00
55 "	Stephens Jasper N.	"	7 56
1 lot	Adleman A. H.	"	4 45
1	"Boston H. A.	"	2 23
1 "	Carey B. D.	"	3 34
2 "	Herring Grant Trustee	"	17 89
2 "	Richart C. R.	"	22 25

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The story as told in a French newspaper of Pierre Barlat, a poor laborer, who lived at Sevres, near Paris, with his wife Jeanne, and their three children. Industrious, frugal, knowing nothing of the way to the wine shop, Pierre saved all his spare money, working harder and harder, and at last bought the tiny cottage in which they lived. It was a tiny cottage, indeed—built of stones, with tiled roof, standing amid shrubs and covered with clematis. It always attracted the eye of the traveler, on the left, as he crossed the Sevres bridge.

Pierre and Jeanne worked and scraped and saved until the little cottage was paid for, and made a feast when it was all done to celebrate their ownership. A landed proprietor, to be sure, does not mind an occasional expenditure to entertain his friends.

All this Pierre and Jeanne had accomplished just before the war of 1870 with Germany broke out. The conscription fell upon Pierre, who moreover, was an old soldier and belonged to the reserves. A gunner he had been, famous for his skill in hitting a mark with a shell.

Sevres had fallen in the hands of the Germans, but the French guns were pounding away at them from the fort on Mont Valerien. Pierre Barlat was a gunner at that fort, and one wintry day was standing by his gun, when General Noel, the commander, came up and leveled his field-glass at the Sevres bridge.

"Gunner," he said, sharply, without looking at Pierre.

"General," answered Pierre, respectfully saluting.

"Do you see the Sevres bridge over there?"

"I see it very well, sir."

"And that little cottage there, at the left, in a thicket of shrubs?"

Pierre turned pale.

"I see it, sir."

"Its a nest of Prussians, Try it with a shell, my man."

Pierre turned paler still, and, in spite of the cold wind, that made the officers shiver in their great coats, one might have seen big drops of sweat standing out on his forehead; but nobody noticed the gunner's emotion.

He sighted his piece carefully, deliberately; then fired.

The officers, with their glasses, marked the effect of the shot after the smoke had cleared.

"Well hit, my man!" exclaimed the General, looking at Pierre with a smile. "The cottage couldn't have been very solid. It is completely smashed."

He was surprised to see great tears running down the gunner's cheeks.

"What's the matter, man?" the General asked rather roughly.

"Pardon me, General," said Pierre, recovering himself. "It was my house—everything I had in the world!"

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FOR SUPREME JUDGE.
CHRISTOPHER HEYDRICK, Venango.

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John O. James,	William Molan,
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Michael Leibel,	Thomas McDowell,

J. K. P. Hall.

ENFORCED EXTRAVAGANCE

Congressman Beltzhoover says:

As bills and estimates now stand the expenditures of the Fifty-first Congress will be $486,000,000. The appropriations for the first session of the Billion Dollar Congress aggregated less than this, while the expenditures amounted to $421,504,470.

The reason for this difference lies not wholly in the disposition of Congress but largely in the requirements of the law. Deducting the amount expended for pensions and the amount appropriated for rivers and harbors in 1891, the ordinary expenses of the Government were about $272,000,000. With the pensions paid that year they would be $396,000,000.

The pension list has grown so that $20,000,000 must be added to this sum. Besides, we have the bounties on sugars and silk and the ocean mail steamship subsidies. These, with the River and Harbor bill, bring the expenditures up to the total named by Mr. Beltzhoover, $486,000,000.

The pension appropriation cannot be escaped this year, nor the bounties and subsidies. These demands must be met until the laws under which they are created can be repealed or reformed. So long as the President and the Senate remain Republican this object cannot be attained.

Still, as we have frequently shown, Congress can do something. It can cut the River and Harbor bill in two, which will bring down the appropriations to $474,000,000, and it can refuse to appropriate for more new ships than were provided for in the House bill, or for new public buildings. Something could thus be saved to the people, who can be trusted to see to the repeal eventually of the legislation by which these enormous obligations were created.

There is no reason why the annual expenses of this Government should exceed $375,000,000, and if the Billion Dollar Congress had kept the appropriations within this limit the Treasury surplus that existed at the end of Mr. Cleveland's term would have been increased by at least another $100,000,000. The sins of that Congress, however, are visited upon other Congresses, and to-day a Democratic majority, if it should do its utmost for economy, could not bring down the appropriations to within $80,000,000 or $90,000,000 of what ought to be the legitimate expenses of the Government.

What it can do, however, it ought to do. Not one dollar of unnecessary expense should be authorized that is not commanded by existing laws. —*World.*

Favor Sunday Opening.

PITTSBURG, May 25.—The American Federation of Labor has come out flatly in favor of the opening of the World's fair on Sunday. Samuel Gompers, the president of the federation has addressed a circular letter to all the trade unions in the United States urging them to use whatever influence they may each have to secure the opening of the fair on Sunday.

He claims that this is the only day on which the large majority of workingmen can visit the great exhibition, and from this standpoint arguing that they should not be deprived of such an opportunity for enjoyment and instruction.

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An Expensive Ruler.

BERLIN, May 24.—The people continue to complain about the luxurious and expensive habits of their young Emperor. This week the radical newspapers have given full descriptions of the latest evidences of the Emperor's extravagance, his special train and his block house, which is now approaching completion.

The special train is said to be the most wildly extravagant of any in which a modern sovereign has indulged. It surpasses in elegance the famous train of Queen Victoria and cost about twice as much. It has twelve vestibuled carriages.

The reception room is hung with the rarest imported tapestries and carpeted with the richest Oriental rugs. Marble groups and easels bearing paintings by the best modern artists fill the walls and corners. The library is hung with Gobelin tapestry from the Charlottenbury palace, the dining room is furnished in old oak; and the private parlor is upholstered in white satin. There are three bedrooms, each with a bath and dressing room attached. There are, besides, a kitchen and servants' quarters.

The cost of the train was about 3,000,000 marks, but the treasures of art with which the living rooms have been crowned raise this sum to 4,500,000 marks.

"A pleasant picture," says the Social Democratic Vorwaerts,' "for the starving Silesian miners and the miserable unemployed of Berlin;" and a South German Daily adds: "The Anarchists cannot wish better material for their agitation."

The Norwegian block house, which will be completed about the last of the month, in time for the little Dutch Queen's arrival, is also an expensive trifle. Norwegian carpenters, especially imported for the purpose, are putting it together on the banks of the Havel. A big basin is being excavated as a fitting approach by boat to the house, and extensive gardens are being laid out behind the landing.

The house will not be for the Emperor's fresh water sailors, as was at first reported, but for him and his excursion parties, and will be extensively fitted up. The total cost of this freak of the Emperor's fancy, including the grounds, etc., will be about 300,000 marks.

Harrison's Friends Around.

THEY WILL NOT ALLOW THE NOMINATION WITHOUT A BITTER FIGHT.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The Republicans who are actively opposing the nomination of Mr. Harrison are speaking very boldly and confidently to-day. It is evident that Mr Harrison does not intend to let the nomination go without a fight, even if it is going to Blaine. His friends are declaring with a great deal of feeling that Mr. Blaine cannot accept the nomination; that he has given his promise to Mr. Harrison that he will not be a candidate, and that he is in honor bound to disregard the call from the convention. They say that Mr. Harrison would not have been a candidate for renomination but for this assurance from Mr. Blaine.

The opposition seems to be perfectly confident that Mr. Blaine will accept the nomination. They insist that the most Mr. Blaine could do, as a good party man, was to decline to be a candidate for nomination, and declare that he did not want the nomination. He did this some time ago, and they do not see the necessity of his repeating it in daily bulletins. But, it is urged, the convention does not nominate a man because he wants the nomination. They nominate him because they regard him as the strongest man. If the Minneapolis convention believes that Mr. Blaine can most surely lead the party to success, it is urged it will be his duty to the party to accept, and he will certainly do so. It is quite evident that the Blaine fever is getting epidemic.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, May 25, 1892.

The Harrison crowd are already beginning the task of letting their men down easy. They now acknowledge that he cannot be nominated on the first ballot, and they talk mysteriously about the possibility of his not allowing his name to go before the convention at all, or of his withdrawing in favor of Blaine after the first ballot. That Mr. Harrison will willingly withdraw in favor of Mr. Blaine is not believed by anyone in Washington; he would prefer seeing any other man in the world nominated.

It has just been learned from a most trustworthy source that Mr. Harrison proposes to make another effort to make a bargain with Boss Clarkson, who will be here this week, by which he hopes to secure his support - he probably can if he will make his offers tempting enough, and will give sufficient guarantees. Agents of Clarkson have already according to advice received here, obtained control of a considerable number of the negro delegates in the Southern States. If Mr. Blaine has not made up his mind to take the nomination, if he can get it, he is acting very strangely. He knows that his name is being used to weaken Harrison and he says not a word to stop it.

Comptroller of the Currency Lacey, who should have long ago been dismissed from office for the manner in which he dealt with the wrecked Philadelphia national bank, has gone to Chicago to organize the national bank of which he is to be president; but he did not resign before leaving Washington. Not he. He will devote as much time as may be necessary to his private business, but he is too good a republican to forego drawing a salary from the government up to the last minute. He will not resign until the first of July.

Senator Wolcott, of Colorado, who has reported favorably from the Senate committee on Civil Service and retrenchment a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution making the Presidential term six years and making a President ineligible for re-election, would doubtless like to have this amendment go into effect March 4, 1893, instead of March 4, 1897, as provided in the resolution. But he can console himself with the knowledge that a higher authority than the Constitution—the people—will prevent Mr. Harrison getting a second term.

The members of the joint Immigration committees which have been engaged in investigating the subject of immigration have not fully decided whether they will report in favor of abolishing the office of Commissioner of Immigration, in which ex-Congressman Owen has proven such a misfit, but they have practically agreed upon some amendments to the present laws, intended to put an end to the evasions by which immigrants of the prohibited classes get into the United States. These amendments will be incorporated in a bill that will shortly be introduced in both House and Senate.

The Attorney General pleads ignorance, further than the newspaper accounts, concerning the Reading combine as an answer to the House resolution asking for information. That is precisely the same answer he gave the committee of the House the other day, concerning violations of the civil service law by Federal officials in Baltimore. The question naturally arises—why is he ignorant? He has under his orders a large force of special agents and other officials, covering every section of the country, and it is fair to assume that if he is really ignorant of such things it is because he wishes to be. The House has not decided what action, if any, it will take.

Of course the report of the sub-committee of the House which has been investigating the expenditures of the World's Fair in favor of a reduction of the large salaries now being paid to a few officials, and of the abolition of the expensive and useless department of foreign affairs, has raised a howl from the holders of these "soft snaps," and their friends. Who ever knew of the holders of sinecures willingly turning thom loose? Besides, these men feel that they must kick up a big row over having their salaries reduced as a sort of pallation for the wasted money already paid to them. The report is in no sense an attack on the Exposition, as it distinctly says that the committee "expresses without reserve their confidence in the assured success of the Exposition. In every essential feature it stands unrivaled in all time."

It is said that one of the wealthiest republican Senators has placed in the hands of agents $50,000 to be waggered in sums of $1,000 and upward that Harrison will not be nominated, and that he has offered to wager, in case Harrison is nominated, an unlimited amount, with odds of two to one, that he will not be elected.

Representative Bland, of Missouri, created a little flurry by expressing his willingness to repeal the dependant pension act.

Half Rates to Gettysburg via Pennsylvania Railroad.

On Thursday, June 2d, 1892, the "High Water Mark" Monument will be dedicated on the field of Gettysburg. This monument marks the highest point within the Union lines reached by Pickett's troops in the memorable charge of July 3d, 1863. The monument has been erected under the auspices of the Battlefield Memorial Association. The dedicatory ceremonies will be highly interesting, consisting of speeches, poems, music, and military exercises. A large number of veterans, both officers and privates, will be gathered on the historic field and the occasion will be a most memorable one.

For the benefit of those desiring to attend, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will, on June 1st and 2d, sell excursion tickets from all principal stations on the lines to Gettysburg at a *single fare for the round trip.* Return coupons will be valid for use until June 4th, inclusive.

Great Progress.

From the Chicago Tribune.

Candidate's Wife. "How is your canvass getting along, Isaac?"

Candidate. "First-rate. I have shaken 1,356 dirty hands to-day, distributed thirty-six boxes of twofer cigars, nailed four campaign lies, kissed twenty-seven babies and bought a walking delegate. And the grand jury has adjourned. I'm all right,' Mandy."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Quay Speaks Out

SAYS THERE WILL BE NO TROUBLE IN NOMINATING BLAINE FOR PRESIDENT.

PITTSBURG, May 25.—Senator Quay was in the city this morning for a few minutes while en route to his home in Beaver. In an interview he said that he did not think there would be any trouble in nominating Blaine at Minneapolis.

"It will not be by stampeding the convention," said he, "but by force of the general sentiment."

"Red Nosed Mike's" Accomplices.

SENTENCED TO TWENTY AND FIFTEEN YEARS, RESPECTIVELY, FOR KILLING PAYMASTER MCCLURE.

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.—The Italian consul at Philadelphia has succeeded in obtaining a copy of a verdict of April 14th, in the trial of Bevivino and Vilella, accomplices of Michael Rizzelo, alias "Red Nosed Mike," in the murder of Paymaster McClure and Hugh Flannagan, near Wilkesbarre. The Italian Jury, notwithstanding the absence of any witness who being Americans, for one reason or another, refused to personally appear and testify in the case, admitted the complicity of the two men, who were therefore sentenced, Bevivino to twenty years and Vilella to fifteen years at hard labor.

An appeal was forwarded to the supreme court by the two convicts as well as by the public prosecutor.

A verdict issued without any oral testimony and in the native town of the accused for a crime committed abroad is, in the opinion of the consul, a very good evidence of the impartiality of Italian justice, and ought to be appreciated in the country where the crime was committed.

Some fancy the charms of the lily-white maid,
Of etherial form and languishing eye,
Who faints in the sunshine and droops in the shade,
And is always "just ready to die."
But give me the girl with the sunshiny face,
The blood in whose veins courses healthy and free,
With the vigor of youth in her movements of grace,
Oh, that is the maid for me.

She is the girl to "tie to" for life. The sickly, complaining woman may be an object of love and pity, but she ceases to be a "thing of beauty" worn down by female weakness and disorders, subject to hysteria and a martyr to bearing-down pains. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a sure cure for these distressing complaints, and will transform the feeble, drooping sufferer into a healthy, happy, blooming woman. Guaranteed to give satisfaction in every case, or money paid for it will be refunded.

Rishton's soda fountain is an attractive place these warm days. It is beautiful in appearance and gives forth most delicious beverages.

HOOD'S COMPOUND EXTRACT OF SARSAPARILLA TRADE MARK

The importance of purifying the blood cannot be overestimated, for without pure blood you cannot enjoy good health.

At this season nearly every one needs a good medicine to purify, vitalize, and enrich the blood, and we ask you to try Hood's **Peculiar** Sarsaparilla. It strengthens and builds up the system, creates an appetite, and tones the digestion, while it eradicates disease. The peculiar combination, proportion, and preparation of the vegetable remedies used give to Hood's Sarsaparilla peculiar curative powers. No **To Itself** other medicine has such a record of wonderful cures. If you have made up your mind to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to take any other instead. It is a Peculiar Medicine, and is worthy your confidence.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is sold by all druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar

Wood's Phosphodine

The Great English Remedy.

Before and After.

Promptly and permanently cures all forms of *Nervous Weakness, Emissions, Spermatorrhœa, Impotency and all effects of Abuse or Excesses.* Been prescribed over 35 years in thousands of cases: is the *only Reliable and Honest Medicine known.* Ask druggist for WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE; if he offers some worthless medicine in place of this, leave his dishonest store, inclose price in letter, and we will send by return mail. Price, one package, $1; six, $5. *One will please, six will cure.* Pamphlet in plain sealed, envelope 2 stamps. Address. THE WOOD CHEMICAL CO, 131 Woodward avenue, Detroit, Mich.

Sold in Bloomsburg by Moyer Bros., J. H. Mercer, C. A. Klein, G. A. McKelvy and all responsible druggists everywhere.

TALMAGE'S NEW BOOK 400 Wonderful Pictures. Sales Immense. Agents Wanted. Exclusive Territory. Big pay. 30 Day's Credit. No Capital Needed. Also send 9 Agents' Addresses and receive FREE TO YOU, Talmage's favorite Picture of Christ, in Oil Colors. Address, HISTORICAL PUB. CO. Phila. Pa.

Doesn't "look" as she ought—the weak, nervous and ailing woman. As long as she suffers from the aches, pains, and derangements peculiar to her sex, she can't expect to.

But there's only herself to blame. With Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, she's a different woman. And it's a change that can be seen as well as felt. The system is invigorated, the blood enriched, digestion improved, melancholy and nervousness dispelled.

With the "Favorite Prescription," all the proper functions are restored to healthy action. Periodical pains, weak back, bearing-down sensations, nervous prostration, all "female complaints" are cured by it. It's the only medicine for woman's weaknesses and ailments that's *guaranteed* to do what is claimed for it. If it doesn't give satisfaction, in every case for which it's recommended, the money is returned.

Can something else offered by the dealer, though it may pay *him* better, be "just as good"?

CANDIDATES CARDS.

List of Candidates to be voted for at the delegate election held Saturday August 6th 1892, between the hours of 3 and 7 o'clock p. m. Nominating convention Tuesday August 9th.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
R. G. F. KSHINKA,
of Briarcreek.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
E. M. TEWKSBURY,
of Catawissa.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
G. W. STERNER,
of Bloomsburg.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
CHARLES M. BLAKER,
of Greenwood.

MERCANTILE APPRAISEMENT.

List of Dealers in Columbia County.

I hereby certify the following list of dealers taken, returned and classified by me in accordance with several acts of Assembly in and for the year 1892 is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Names & Business	*Class*	*License*
BEAVER.		
D. L. Singley store	14	7 00
T. J. Shuman "	14	7 00
C. F. Shuman "	14	7 00
Wm. H. Llewellyn store	14	7 00
Levi Michael "	14	7 00
G. P. Dreisbach "	14	7 00
Norman Cole distiller	13	100 00
BENTON.		
C. F. Mann 1 pool table	8	30 00
J. M. Kline organs & S. M.	14	7 00
G. L. & C. B. McHenry store	13	10 00
Ira R. McHenry furniture	14	7 00
Alfred McHenry store	13	10 00
Holland McHenry store	14	7 00
C. R. Cox farm tools	14	7 00
Billhime & Riddell store	14	7 00
B. G. Keller stoves & tinware	14	7 00
J. J. McHenry store	13	10 00
T. C. McHenry drugs	14	7 00
Rhor McHenry & Son distillers	14	100 00
C. M. Smith store	14	7 00
C. E. Edson "	14	7 00
C. D. Carpenter 1 pool table	8	30 00
BRIARCREEK.		
Ash Brothers distillers	3	100 00
L. F. Fowler store	14	7 00
D. A. Michael Farm tools &c.	14	7 00
BERWICK.		
Isaiah Bower store	14	7 00
C. N. Kisner drugs	14	7 00
E. A. Bower store	13	10 00
Smith Bros. "	13	10 00
T. A. Doan Hardware	14	7 00
L. J. Townsend jewelry		7 00
F. P. Freas (agt.) store	13	10 00
M. Levy clothing	13	10 00
Miss Sally Rough confectionery	14	7 00
H. M. Hockman, "	14	7 00
B. F. Dreisbach organs and S. M.	14	7 00
Garrison Bros. store	14	7 00
Swayze & Co. "	13	10 00
Joseph Chain "	14	7 00
M. A. Markle furniture	14	7 00
Henry Driefuss clothing	14	7 00
H. C. Laubach hardware	14	7 00
G. L. Reagon & Co. drugs	14	7 00
F. L. Distlehurst furniture	14	7 00
J. R. Gould drugs	14	7 00
J. Saltzer organs and S. M.	14	7 00
D. K. Keller stoves	14	7 00
Berwick Store Association Limited store	6	50 00
Hudson Owen coal	14	7 00
BLOOMSBURG.		
Bloomsburg Car Co., store	13	10 00
J. W. Mastellar notions	14	7 00
Cortez Robbins wholesale liquors	2	200 00
Geo. Hohman organs and S. M.	14	7 00
M. Ellenbogen & Bro., notions	14	7 00
Mrs. Wm. Webb tobaccos	14	7 00
Louis Bernhard jewelry	14	7 00
G. A. McKelvy drugs	14	7 00
H. W. Sloan store	13	10 00
L. T. Sharpless groceries	13	10 00
Louis Gross clothing	14	7 00
Moyer Bro's drugs	7	40 00
W. H. Brower carpets	14	7 00
Alexander Bro's & Co. tobaccos	11	15 00
H. V. White & Co. grain	12	12 50
W. S. Rishton drugs	14	7 00
I. W. McKelvy store	7	40 00
I. W. Hartman & Sons store	8	30 00
G. W. Keller Carpets	14	7 00
C. A. Klein drugs	14	7 00
C. S. Furman harness	14	7 00
J. H. Stecker groceries	14	7 00
W. J. Correll & Co. furniture	13	10 00
J. W. Eyer store	14	7 00
Mrs. Peter Gross bottler	4	100 00
Hilday Bro's. store	14	7 00
J. K. Pensyl "	14	7 00
Hartzel Winner & Co. furniture	14	7 00
L. K. Whary stoves	14	7 00
James T. Davis store	14	7 00
J. Saltzer organs and S. M.	14	7 00
F. E. Brown groceries	14	7 00
S. F. Peacock & Co. hardware	14	7 00
G. W. Berteh clothing	14	7 00
C. E. Savage jeweler	14	7 00
F. D. Dentler boots & shoes	13	10 00
J. G. Wells jeweler	14	7 00
W. H. Brooke & Co. book store	13	10 00
Cummings & Verdy confectionery	14	7 00
Page Hawkins 4 pool tables	5	60 00
I. Maier clothing	13	10 00
H. J. Clark & son dry goods	12	12 50
Jacob Keller wholesale notions	9	25 00
Mrs. M. M. Phillips confectionery	14	7 00
D. Lowenberg clothing	13	10 00
J. R. Schuyler (Mngr.) hardware	13	10 00
C. W. Runyon hardware	13	10 00
G. N. Wilson groceries	14	7 00
Evans & Eyer clothing	14	7 00
Bloom Car Co. coal	14	7 00
W. B. Taylor bottler	14	7 00
J. H. Mercer drugs	14	7 00
D. A. Creasy store	14	7 00
J. A. Hess boots and shoes	14	7 00
Andrew Solider leather and shoe finding	14	7 00
G. P. Ringler drugs	14	7 00
P. K. Vannatta wall paper	14	7 00
Oriental tea Co., teas &c.	14	7 00
J. D. Armstrong groceries	14	7 00
W. F. Hartman stoves	14	7 00
E. E. Ralston groceries	14	7 00
N. W. Barton groceries	14	7 00
Harman & Hassert coal	14	7 00
C. W. Neal & Bros. coal	14	7 00
Creasy & Wells lumber	13	10 00
D. W. Kitchen grain etc	13	10 00
D. W. Kitchen farm tools and wagons	11	15 00
F. E. Mears groceries	14	7 00
W. R. Kocher coal	14	7 00
W. R. Kocher store	14	7 00
Farmers Produce Exchange, store	14	7 00
P. G. Miller coal	14	7 00
Joseph Garson flour and feed	14	7 00
W. C. Richart flour and feed	14	7 00
Eshleman & Wolf stoves	14	7 00
W. O. Holmes stoves	14	7 00
Mrs. M. A. Watson millinery	14	7 00
Bloomsburg Iron Co., coal	14	7 00
CENTRALIA.		
J. W. Goldsworthy 1 pool table	8	30 00
H. C. Michael furniture	14	7 00
D. C. Black groceries	14	7 00
Chas. Fetterman 1 pool table	8	30 00
L. C. Davis drugs	14	7 00
Thomas Irvin store	13	10 00
Albert Ball confectionery	14	7 00
Jno. W. Kelley confectionery	14	7 00
J. F. Nertney wholesale liquors	2	100 00
C. G. Murphy store	14	7 00
C. H. Gretchy "	14	7 00
G. W. Davis drugs	14	7 00
O. B. Millard store	13	10 00
James Duke dressed meats	14	7 00
L. A. Riley store	3	100 00
Charles Springer dressed meats &c	4	7 00
I. Fetterman groceries	14	7 00
John Zibnoch 1 pool table	8	30 00
Mrs. S. Thomas confectionery	14	7 00
H. J. Kelly wholesale liquors	2	100 00
Andrew Lenehan groceries	14	7 00
Harry Levit clothing	14	7 00
Thomas Cleary store	14	7 00
CONYNGH M.		
Dani. Goodman store	14	7 00
Geo. Weller "	14	7 00
G. F. Leffler 1 pool table	8	30 00
Mid Valley Supply Co. store	3	100 00
CATAWISSA.		
M. A. Swank store	14	7 00
S. P. Rhawn & Son store	14	7 00
E. Longenberger pool table	8	30 00
E. E. Baldy store	14	7 00
C. C. Willits drugs	14	7 00
E. Fisher drugs	14	7 00
H. F. Spangler clothing	14	7 00
S. D. Rinard store	14	7 00
Lloyd Berger clothing	14	7 00
Edward Ward boots and shoes	14	7 00
Schmack & Son hardware	14	7 00
J. R. Deimer store	14	7 00
F. O. Breisch store	14	7 00
Geo. Manhart boots and shoes	14	7 00
S. C. Waltz stationery	14	7 00
T. D. Berninger hardware	14	7 00
Sharpless Bros store	10	20 00
P. B. Irvin pool table	8	30 00
T. F. Harder furniture	14	7 00
S. Mendenhall stoves	14	7 00
Simon Roup coal	14	7 00
Joseph Gutterman store	13	10 00
E. M. Tewksbury fertilizers	14	7 00
A. L. Hartman dressed lumber	14	7 00
C. F. Harder " "	14	7 00
C. W. Harder " "	14	7 00
C. E. Clewell groceries	14	7 00
I. H. Seesholtz store	14	7 00
I. H. Seesholtz coal	14	7 00
David Giffin coal	14	7 00
I. C. Reisnyder 2 pool tables	8	40 00
CENTER.		
Low Bros & Co., store	13	10 00
Geo. E. Sponsler store	14	7 00
Geo. Brobst & son store	14	7 00
Z. T. Fowler grain	13	11 00
J. L. Wolverton store	14	7 00
FRANKLIN.		
Alfred Artley store	14	7 00
G. M. Bucher store	14	7 00
FISHINGCREEK.		
M. McHenry & son store	14	7 00
A. B. McHenry store	14	7 00
Edgar & Smith distillery	3	100 00
Mrs. Mary Lewis store	14	7 00
J. M. Ammerman store	14	7 00
Jones & Walter store	14	7 00
J. W. Larned store	14	7 00
George M. Howell store	14	7 00
GREENWOOD.		
Black & Co., store	14	7 00
Jacob Rantz store	14	7 00
A. J. Derr store	14	7 00
W. M. Ayes & Son store	14	7 00
J. E. Welliver store	14	7 00
J. C. Christian clothing	14	7 00
J. B. Ayes farm tools & fertilizers	14	7 00
V. P. Ayes & Henry furniture	14	7 00
B. S. Keller stoves	14	7 00
C. S. Ely drugs	14	7 00
Charles Lee 2 pool tables	7	40 00
Ellis Ayes & Bro. store	12	12 50
Masters & Co., store	12	12 50
E. E. Parker store	14	7 00
A. S. Kramer coal and grain	14	7 00
HEMLOCK.		
J. H. Henrie, store	14	7 00
H. N. & J. E. White, store	14	7 00
JACKSON.		
H. H. Hurliman, store	14	7 00
LOCUST.		
Mrs. K. Williams, store	14	7 00
H. W. Billig, "	14	7 00
L. H. Daniels "	14	7 00
E. H. Whitner "	14	7 00
C. E. Yeager "	14	7 00
J. W. Snyder, "	14	7 00
E. C. Yeager, "	14	7 00
Wm. Adams "	14	7 00
MADISON.		
Kramer & Son, store	14	7 00
Dan'l Laidacker, store	14	7 00
MAINE.		
Allison Derr, store	14	7 00
W. P. Zaner "	14	7 00
W. M. Longenberger, store	14	7 00
U. J. Campbell fertilizer	14	7 00
U. J. Campbell, store	14	7 00
MIFFLIN.		
E. Swepenhiser, store	14	7 00
H. J. Berninger, furniture	14	7 00
J. W. Creasy, store	14	7 00
D. A. Hess, coal	14	7 00
A. W. Snyder, store	14	7 00
Aaron Hess, coal	14	7 00
MONTOUR.		
Theodore Evans, store	14	7 00
Arthur Roberts, store	14	7 00
H. D. Quick, coal	14	7 00
H. R. Grimes, store	14	7 00
MT. PLEASANT.		
Charles Harris & Bros., store	14	7 00
ORANGE.		
A. M. DeWitt, store	13	10 00
George P. Stiner store	14	7 00
Fleckenstine Bros. store	13	10 00
A. B. Stewart store	13	10 00
H. B. Low coal and grain	14	7 00
White & Conner farm tools	14	7 00
PINE.		
R. W. Lyons store	14	7 00
J. R. Fowler distillery	3	100 00
ROARINGCREEK.		
O. W Cherrington store	14	7 00
SCOTT		
A. B. White store	14	7 00
A. P. Howell store	14	7 00
Silas Young "	14	7 00
Isaac Reichard store	14	7 00
W. E. Detterick "	14	7 00
N. Richart groceries	14	7 00
Wm. Bogart "	13	10 00
J. D. Workheiser groceries	14	7 00
Silver Springs Quarry Co. store	13	10 00
James Reichard grain	14	7 00
SUGARLOAF.		
Jno. P. Kennedy one pool table	8	30 00
B. D. Cole store	14	7 00
R. J. Fierce drugs	14	7 00
Thos. F. Proctor store	13	10 00
Jacob Lorah "	14	7 00
Tony Rush "	14	7 00
A. B. Herring "	14	7 00
Elijah Hess "	14	7 00
Wm. F. Stobner "	14	7 00
A. M. Harvey "	14	7 00
Andrew Laubach "	14	7 00
A. Cole & Son, distillery	4	100 00

Appeals will be held at the Commissioners' office in Bloomsburg, on Saturday, the 4th day of June, A. D. 1892, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 4 P. M. where you can attend if you think proper.

J. B. DELONG,
Mercantile Appraiser.

May 5, 1892—4w.

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Prescriptions filled at night by applying at his residence Market St., below Main. 5-20-2t.

Handed Down Awards.

IF SUSTAINED, WILL MEAN A LOSS OF MANY MILLIONS OF DOLLARS TO RAILROAD COMPANIES.

SUNBURY, May 23.—To-day the arbitrators in the case of the farmers living along Shamokin creek, Northumberland county, against the Philadelphia and Reading coal and iron company, the Pennsylvania railroad company and others, handed down awards in ten cases that, if sustained, may mean a loss of millions of dollars to the companies.

For years the coal dirt from the mines has been washed by each recurring freshet on the lands of the farmers along the creek. In 1889 the land was rendered barren. Ten cases were prosecuted, and now, after taking testimony for three years, damages are awarded to the plaintiffs Other suits will follow. The defendants will appeal to the courts.

To Our Patrons.

The publishers of the Philadelphia, and New York daily papers rigidly enforce their system of cash in advance from all news agents for supplies.

If it is forgotten two days, papers are discontinued. Since we began business they have never failed to reach you because we forgot to remit.

We have several hundred subscribers on our lists; the time expended and labor involved in keeping track of their accounts are no small items; the profits are not large and they are materially diminished by reason of our inability to collect from some of our subscribers. For these reasons we feel compelled to adopt the publisher's plea, and after June first will only deliver papers to those of our subscribers who have paid their subscription in advance. If we fail to receive your subscription by the fifth of each month we shall understand that you do not wish us to serve you longer.

We trust the necessity for this move will be appreciated by our friends and no offense taken if through neglect on their part they fail to receive their papers.

W. H. BROOKE & Co.
J. W. MOYER.

Five Millions Lost.

RECEDING WATERS PERMIT AN ESTIMATE TO BE MADE OF THE DAMAGE.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 21,—The Missouri River rose about an inch last night, and is now stationary again. Reports from above indicate that a fall is coming. The Kaw fell six inches at Manhattan. The wind blew almost a gale from the northwest all night, greatly increasing the discomfort of those who are camping on the elevated roadbeds of the various railroads.

As the water begins to go down an estimate is being made of the actual damage done in this vicinity, and it is believed that half a million dollars will not cover it. There are now in Harlem, Argentine, Armourdale, and West Kansas, over one thousand houses which have been deserted and are surrounded by water. It is impossible to more than make a rough estimate, but it is believed that the damage, actual and resultant, will amount to fully $5,000,000 in this immediate vicinity.

Reports from up the Mississippi River show that while there is nothing to indicate a fall there is nothing to show that there will be another rise. The present stage of water will probably last one day more without more rain. The June rise is reported to have left Bozeman Thursday morning, and that means that it will be here in about a week.

BRISTOR H.,

is a young stallion, two years old, owned by C. E. Hower of Bloomsburg. He was sired by the celebrated trotter, Frank M., some of whose colts have made great records. His dam is a Morgan mare with three minute record. Bristor H. will stand for the season of 1892 at the stable of C. E. Hower, Bloomsburg. Terms $25.00 tf.

A Magnificent Appropriation For Public School Purposes.

The appropriation for public school purposes in Pennsylvania for the year 1892 aggregates the magnificent sum of $5,000,000, which is more than double the amount ever made by the legislature for the same purpose. The main object to be effected by this increase of appropriation was to bring the school term up to the legal ten months period in all parts of the State and to pay teachers better salaries. In some districts, however, instead of using this money for its comtemplated purposes, the appropriation is applied to reducing taxation therein by which tax payers who ought to contribute a share to the school fund are unfairly relieved of their just obligations and the great object of the commonwealth to improve the benefits of public education are defeated to the injury of the highest possible public interest. The rates of taxation for school purposes, are not excessive anywhere in the state, and therefore, they should not be reduced anywhere, because the appropriations to which we refer afford venal directors the opportunity to do it to the injury of the children for whose better education the state seeks to provide. If taxation is reduced by means of this appropriation when the money is exhausted it will be difficult to increase it again. In the districts where the taxes are only levied on one, and in others a half a mill, this entire appropriation is being used to pay ordinary expenses, leaving the schools unimproved, teachers' salaries at low rates and school terms only of the most limited lengths.

In a number of counties where the taxes are up to twelve mills directors intend to apply all the money they receive from the State to improving the schools and keeping up the old way of taxation. It is the true way to treat this subject and a recognition of the public schools to be placed where the commonwealth intends to raise them on a basis of such liberal support as will make them of the greatest possible benefit to the people.

It is understood that Superintendent Waller will prepare circulars on this subject for the general guidance of school directors that they my clearly comprehend the uses to which the legislature understood this increase of appropriation would be applied when it was made for the benefit of the schools.—*Harrisburg Independent.*

Do you take your Soda where you happen to be, or keep your thirst for the place you are sure of? Rishton's is the place to be sure of. 5-20-2t.

Mending Straw Hats.

It is convenient to know how to repair straw hats, as those of the children of the household get sadly battered in brim and crown. One should always keep one old straw hat of each of the ordinary colors—black and brown and white—to supply materials for repairing, and to this end it is wise to avoid buying the fancy straws, as the plain braids are much more durable and useful. Black thread No. 40 is used for all sewing of straw, except the finest grades of hand-sewed hats, and the domestic milliner may well follow the trade rule. The straw should be wet or dampened as it is sewed, as this will prevent its breaking. When a brim is ragged, rip off the torn braid and taking a braid that matches, deftly weave the ends together and sew around the hat's edge as many rows as are wished. The brim can be made to turn down by stretching the upper edge of the braid tightly as it is sewed, or made to roll up by holding the upper edge of the braid loosely, the mender guiding the results by her taste and judgment as she sews. Torn crowns are replaced in the same way. Braids that do not match can be utilized wherever the trimming will hide the patch, and unfashionable low crowns may thus be transformed into those of any desired height.—*Harper's Bazar.*

Half Rates to Minneapolis via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the benefit of delegates and visitors to the Republican National Convention at Minneapolis, on June 7th, 1892, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Minneapolis, from all principal stations on its lines, at a *single fare for the round trip.* The rate from New York is $31.50; Philadelphia, $29.75; Baltimore, $28.50; Washington, $28.50, and other stations in proportion. The tickets will be sold from June 1st to 5th, inclusive, and the return coupons will be good to leave Minneapolis or St Paul from June 10th to 25th inclusive, 1892. A choice of routes west of Chicago may be made.

The Case Against Banker Dill.

ALL ATTEMPTS AT A SETTLEMENT WITH CREDITORS ARE ABORTIVE.

CLEARFIELD, May 23.

Eversince last Thursday, when the case against William H. Dill, ex-president of the defunct First National Bank ot Clearfield, was supposed to have been settled in Pittsburg, the people of Clearfield and surrounding county have been in high spirits, as they thought, judging from the liberal proposition of the Dill people, that every depositor would not only get his money, but that the stockholders would get at least 60 per cent, on the face of their stock instead of being called on for an assessment.

This was the true state of affairs, and all these hopes or expectations would have been realized had the settlement been carried out as agreed upon by both sides in Pittsburg, but on Saturday last various rumors were afloat concerning several differences already in sight. O. L. Schoonover, of Kylertown, this county, who was a heavy stockholder in the defunct Phillipsburg Bank, of which Jonathan Boynton, Dill's father-in law, was the nominal president, on Saturday issued on a judgment he had obtained against the bank for $15,000 and levied on the Boynton homestead, which was a part of the property to be turned over to the First National by Mrs. Dill.

Everybody here believed, and believes yet, that Boynton deeded this property to his daughter, Mrs. Dill, and this move of Schoonover's caused considerable commotion and, together with the refusal of the Dill people to agree to some of the minor details of the settlement, had the effect of putting both sides on their mettle. First the Dill side refused to accept a certain deposit mentioned in the settlement as a deposit of Mrs. Dill.

They then refused to consider certain household articles as a part of the property and claimed they were not to go with the realty, and so on until the attorneys on either side considered all arrangements off and notified their witnesses to go to Pittsburg. This afternoon, when the 4.07 train for Tyrone pulled out, the principals and witnesses started for Pittsburg and will be on hand to-morrow morning when the case is called in the United States Court.

Since the above was in type the case has been settled.

Catarrh Can't Be Cured

With LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you have to take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is no quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best blood purifiers, acting directly on mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Prop., Toledo, O
Sold by druggists, price 75c. 5-20-4

Stars and Stripes Insulted.

CANADIAN SOLDIERS ORDER MONTREAL MERCHANTS TO TAKE DOWN THE AMERICAN FLAG.

MONTREAL, May 25—Yesterday three petty officers and five men of a brigade of the Montreal garrison artillery stepped into the store of Losage & Co., hatters of St. Lawrence, Main street, and demanded that the stars and stripes flying outside be taken down. The clerk in charge pointed that the French, Belgian, Swiss and British flags were also flying as well as the American flag for decorative purposes only. However, the men insisted on the removal at once of the American flag. To avoid trouble the stars and stripes were taken down at once.

The same lot of soldiers then visited the store of P. Oitras and made a similar demand as to the American flag which, with others was floating in the breeze. Again to avoid trouble the obnoxious banner was pulled down, folded up and taken inside the store. Several stores in the vicinity were visited and the owners were compelled to take down the American flag from its position. The matter has been reported to the brigade major and an investigation will be held in the matter.

The number of shares of stock allotted to the first series of Industrial Building and Loan Association of Bloomsburg, Pa., have been taken and the association will issue stock in the second series upon the 7th day of June next, that being the time of their next regular monthly meeting. The number of shares will be limited to five hundred in each series. First payment will be $2 00 per share and $1.00 per share a month thereafter. Par value of each share $200.00. Further information may be had by calling at the office of the secretary, Wirt's Block, Bloomsburg, Pa.

A. N. YOST.
5-13-3t Secretary.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

DR. KILMER'S SWAMP-ROOT

Kidney, Liver and Bladder Cure.

Rheumatism,

Lumbago, pain in joints or back, brick dust in urine, frequent calls, irritation, inflamation, gravel, ulceration or catarrh of bladder.

Disordered Liver,

Impaired digestion, gout, bilious-headache. SWAMP-ROOT cures kidney difficulties, *La Grippe*, urinary trouble, bright's disease.

Impure Blood,

Scrofula, malaria, gen'l weakness or debility.

Guarantee—Use contents of One Bottle, if not benefited, Druggists will refund to you the price paid.

At Druggists, 50c. Size, $1.00 Size.

"Invalids' Guide to Health" Free—Consultation free.

DR. KILMER & Co., BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

W. S. Rishton, the druggist has been selling Ice Cream Soda but a few days, but the fact that he sells more every day, proves that this delicious beverage is appreciated. 5-20-2t.

What is Blaine's Game?

Mr. Blaine arrived in New York on Monday evening, where he proposes to spend most of the week. He exhibited to the crowd of reporters and took apparent pride in his excellent physical condition, but his lips were absolutely sealed as to the candidacy for the Presidency. What is Blaine's game?

It is evident that Blaine is not jogging along in a haphazard way on the edges of the Presidential track. He has a purpose, and that purpose must mean one of two things—either that he intends to accept the Minneapolis nomination, or that he intends to hold his present attitude until the time comes for a nomination to be made, when he will repeat his last-hour declination of 1888. Which of these is Blaine's game?

Blaine is quite too astute a politician not to know that he can command no respect by occupying a half-way attitude on the Presidential question. He has a great party more than willing to accept him as its candidate; he has but to indicate his assent to assure his unanimous and enthusiastic nomination, and his relations with the President are such that he cannot, without positive dishonor, remain in any ambiguous position.

Harrison proffered him the field several months ago; with the field open to him alone he publicly and positively retired himself from the list of candidates and thereby made Harrison enter the race for re nomination. If he has now reconsidered that purpose, and means under any circumstances to accept a nomination, common decency requires that he should make that purpose known to the President before he could intimate it to any other. Has he done so? And, after having done so, has he decided to be the Republican candidate for 1892? What is Blaine's game?

Is Blaine playing his game for Harrison's renomination? He was accused by many of delaying his utterance on the Presidency four months after his nomination had been prominently discussed, solely in the interest of his chief. It was charged that he thus prevented the opposition to Harrison from concentrating on another man until Harrison had forged sufficiently to the front to make his nomination reasonably safe, and then he retired to give his chief the field. Is he repeating that game now?

In no way could Harrison's nomination be made more certain than by Blaine remaining silent in the face of the present Blaine tide throughout the country, until the Convention shall be ready to ballot for a candidate, and then send a peremptory declination as he did four years ago. This may be the purpose of Blaine's provoking silence, and, if so, he is playing a winning hand for Harrison's nomination. What is Blaine's game?—*Times.*

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

EQUESTRIAN LIVERY.

Charles E. Hower has opened a livery stable at the rear of his premises on Third street, where he keeps saddle horses to hire. He has five head, well broken, safe for ladies and children. Thus far he has been well patronized. He will accompany those who are just learning to ride, if desired. tf.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For Sale by C. A. Klein.

Deeds, single and double acknowledgement, at the COLUMBIAN office. tf.

H. J. CLARK & SON

Offer complete lines of WHITE AND CREAM DRESS GOODS. See the WHITE Dress Goods, Dotted and figured, Suisse Linon De Irlands, Lawns, Dimity, Silk Mulls, Cotton Mulls, Embroideries, Flouncing &c.

LADIES' READY MADE SHIRT WAISTS.

The best $1.00 waist offered, see it. Shirt waists for girls, boys waists 25c up. Special bargain in China Silks, plain and figured at 85c, yard. 32 inches wide suitable for dresses or waists, good values in ribbed underwear. A lady's vest at 19c worth 25, children's underwear, men's underwear. See our summer corsets. Try our $1. corsets. RIBBONS, RIBBONS all kinds. Hosiery 10c pair up, fast colors. Kid gloves, Silk gloves and Mitts. WASH DRESS GOODS, New lines, see them. Sun and rain umbrellas, see the 1.19 glora silk umbrella. Pocket books, jewelry, tie pins &c. Laces of all kinds. Nets for dresses. Special lot of Gordon Dye Fast black hosiery Ladies' at 2.00 per box.

H. J. Clark & Son.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ TO THE PUBLIC.

B. W. Jury, a practical builder of many years experience, has located in Bloomsburg, and is now ready to make estimates and take contracts for the erection of buildings either large or small. Office in Columbian Building, 3rd floor, in S. Neyhard's room. 5-20-3m.

Call and see our line of Wall Paper and Window Curtains before you buy. J. H. MERCER.

Fine shoes for ladies, children and men at J. A. Hess'.

We are prepared to do papering either by contracting to put it on or only sell you the paper, just as you like. J. H. MERCER.

Wall paper and window curtains at W. H. Brooke & Co.

Buy your shoes at J. A. Hess' and secure a fine portrait.

For Wall Paper and Window Shades go to Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Glasses fitted free of charge at J. G. Wells.' All workguaranteed.

Lawn tennis shoes at J. A. Hess'.

Plow repairs, stove repairs and light soft castings a specialty, also the cheapest cook stoves in the county at Sharpless foundry. 4-22-8t.

Infant's shoes in colors at J. A. Hess'.

Blank school statements for making out annual report of School boards, at the COLUMBIAN. Cash or stamps must accompany the order. 36 cts a dozen. 4-29-4t.

Some very choice wall paper remnants this week large enough to cover rooms 12x14x9. Suitable for all rooms. Decided bargains if they fit your rooms at W. H. Brooke & Co.

Best $3.00 men's shoes, hand-sewed welt $3.50, at J. A. Hess'

A 3-4 life sized portrait free to every customer whose purchases amount to $10.00. Come and get a card at J. A. Hess'.

Fifty dozen window curtains just opened on Monday—prices from 25c. to $1.50 each at W. H. Brooke & Co.

GRAND OPENING

in Millinery goods. All the latest City trimmed hats, all the New York styles, including a large assortment of ribbons of all shades and good quality.

MRS. C. F. STOHNER & SISTER,
Evan's block two doors above Iron St.
4-29-4t.

We call particular attention to our stock of *Fine Laces.*

H. J. Clark & Son.

Window curtains continue to go. Prices from 25c. to $1.50

Are you going to paper your rooms? If so perhaps you can deal better with us than any where else. At least we can tell you what we can do if you give us a chance. W. H. Brooke & Co.

I. W. Hartman & Sons.

Every day now we are in the tide of selling *wash dress goods* and other articles for Summer wear. Some customers prefer light weight wool: we have both. When you get tired looking at *dry goods* pass over and see one of the choicest lines of dishes, glassware, &c. in the county. The verdict on them is: *so say you all.*

The fine growing weather has lowered the price of butter and the warm days will soon bring eggs up; scarcity and demand always regulate prices.

I. W. HARTMAN & SONS.

CHARTER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, on Monday, the thirteenth day of June, A. D. 1892, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of certain Corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Bloomsburg Cold Storage Company. Character and object of which is the furnishing of cold and general storage for produce, meats, fruits and other articles of food and perishable merchandise, the conducting of a general storage and ware house business, and for this purpose to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits, franchises and privileges of said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

The following are the names of the subscribers: Myron I. Low, C. M. Creveling, C. W. McKelvy, C. C. Peacock, L. E. Waller, W. R. Kocher, I. W. McKelvy, E. W. M. Low, J. H. Giger, D. J. Waller, Sr., W. R. Tubbs, I. W. Willits, C. W. Neal, Frick Company, S. C. Jayne, William Gingles, Hannah Gingles, Eshlemat & Wolf, and C. W. Miller.

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The following are the names of the subscribers: H. G. Sherwood, C. C. Peacock, L. E. Waller, W. R. Tubbs. C. M. Creveling, C. W. Miller and others.

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The following are the names of the subscribers: Theodore Redeker, J. E. Keifer, W. H. Schuyler, D. J. Waller, Sr., C. C. Peacock, H. G. Sherwood, W. R. Tubbs, L. E. Waller, Joseph Ratti, C. M. Creveling, J. W. Evans, Myron I. Low, George E. Sponsler, F. W. Redeker and C. W. Miller.

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the Estate of Hermon G. Creveling dec'd. } In the Orphan's Court. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned appointed by the Court an auditor on exceptions to the second and supplemental account of A. V. Kressler adm'r. of said deceased, and to make distribution of the fund in hand according to law; will attend at his office in Bloomsburg on Saturday the 18th day of June A. D. 1892, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to perform the duties of his appointment. All parties exceptant, and all persons whomsoever having claim upon the said fund are required to attend and establish their right, or be forever debarred from coming in upon the said fund.

5-20-4t. JNO. G. FREEZE, AUDITOR.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Alem Whitmire, late of Centre township Columbia County, deceased,

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Alem Whitmire late of Centre township, Columbia County, deceased have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to ELIAS YOUNG,
4-1-6-w. Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Simon Lowery, late of Orange township, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Simon Lowery, late of Orange township, Col. Co. Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to GEORGE RUCKLE,
5-27-6w. Administrator.

THE SENATE LEADER.

SKETCH OF THE LIFE OF HON. ARTHUR PUE GORMAN.

A Friend Details the Rapid Rise in Politics of the Senator from Maryland Who Defeated the Iniquitous Force Bill—A Thoroughly Domestic Man.

Hon. Arthur Pue Gorman, leader of the Maryland Democracy and one of the possibilities for the Democratic presidential nomination, is a self made man. He was born in Howard county, Md., in March, 1839, the son of respectable parents possessed of moderate means, and received only such limited education in his youth as was to be gained in a country school. When a boy he was made a page in the house of representatives at the instance of Judge Hammond, who then represented the Fifth congressional district of Maryland. After a time he was transferred to a subordinate position in the senate through the friendship of the Hon. Stephen A. Douglas, with whom—as indeed with all the leading Democrats then in Washington—he became a favorite. From one position to another he raised himself by his conscientious discharge of duty, his ability and urbanity, until he was made postmaster of the senate, in which capacity he served until the time of the impeachment trial of President Andrew Johnson. It was believed by those impelling the prosecution of the president that they would be able to carry the impeachment by a vote in the absence of Senator Grimes, of Iowa, who was so ill that his attendance in the senate chamber was deemed impossible, and a day and hour were fixed for forcing the issue. While the roll was being called on the question, to the consternation of the advocates of impeachment, Senator Grimes walked in leaning upon Postmaster Gorman's arm, and his vote saved President Johnson. That very night in a Republican caucus Senator Sumner moved Mr. Gorman's removal as a measure of revenge, and the Republicans effected it.

President Johnson then appointed Mr. Gorman internal revenue collector for the Fifth internal revenue district of Maryland and sent his appointment to the senate for confirmation. So bitter were the Republicans toward the young man, however, that it was three times successively rejected. Eventually,

A. P. GORMAN.

through the efforts of the Hon. Reverdy Johnson, who as a war Democrat had much influence, Mr. Gorman's appointment was confirmed, and he continued to hold the office until the close of President Johnson's term of office, when he was promptly superseded by a Republican appointed under the succeeding administration.

The following autumn Mr. Gorman was elected to the Maryland house of delegates from Howard county. Two years later he was re-elected and made speaker of the house. Upon the expiration of that second term he was elected by his constituents to the state senate and re-elected. During his second term he was nominated and elected to a seat in the United States senate. He is now serving his second term, which expires in 1895, in the highest legislative body of the nation, where he has made for himself an undying reputation as a leader of the party from which his fealty has never swerved.

For ten years he was chairman of the Democratic state central committee, and during an equal length of time was president of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal company, elected to that position by the Democratic board of public works of the state of Maryland.

Upon both occasions of his election to the United States senate his candidacy for that position was made a party issue in the legislative elections throughout the state, and it is regarded as significant of his popularity that, upon those occasions, the Democratic ticket was carried by the largest majorities the party has scored in this state since the negroes were enfranchised. Today he is without opposition, and were his re-election a matter of present issue there is scarcely a possibility of any rival entering the field.

Mr. Gorman is infinitely more ambitious for his party than for his individual success. He is a modest man and has never failed to decline acceptance of the credit, universally accorded to him, for having won the fight against the force bill. By the common consent of the Democratic senators, to whom his good judgment and capacity for leadership were well known, he was selected to lead in that fight, and the event demonstrated the wisdom of their choice.

That was not the first time Mr. Gorman achieved prominence in leading Democratic resistance to Republican aggression in the senate. Early in his senatorial career, immediately after the senate passed from Democratic control into the hands of the Republican party, the attempt was made by the latter to make a clean sweep of all Democrats installed in positions about the senate when the Democracy had power. That was regarded by the Democrats as making an injurious precedent in violation of established usage, and they resisted it by a parliamentary fight, blocking the wheels of legislation for the time being.

Mr. Gorman is practically self educated, having never attended any institution of learning above the grade of a primary school, but he has read and studied much and has absorbed his knowledge by personal and intimate association with great men. He is quick to comprehend, acutely logical in drawing his conclusions, has the most correct, safe judgment of any man I ever knew, and possesses a wonderful memory, literally forgetting nothing, either a fact or a man. One of his most distinguishing characteristics is his perfect self control, coolness and poise under all circumstances, even the most trying, and in times of the greatest excitement. He never loses his head, never is in doubt as to the best course to pursue in any contingencies that arise and never could be capable of considering his personal ambitions or interests as paramount to loyalty to party and country. Highly as I esteem Mr. Gorman's talent—and my appreciation of his worth is the outcome of an intimate acquaintance that covers his entire career—there is no particular phase of his character which more commands my admiration than his domesticity, his demonstration of the most exemplary virtues as a perfect son, husband and father. His family consists of a wife, five daughters and a son, a lad of seventeen years. Mr. Gorman is not a rich man, but owns a good farm in Howard county, the one upon which he was born. His fine country house was destroyed by fire four or five months ago, and the family home is at present in Washington.

Mr. Gorman has a robust but not stout figure, with well developed shoulders and chest, and is about 5 feet 8 inches in height. He is always cleanly shaven and dresses neatly. His manner is urbane, courteous, and those who know him well aver that he is a charming conversationist.

JOHN W. POSTGATE.

Republicans Are to Blame.

The people will know where to attach the blame for the failure of the present congress to pass any tariff legislation at this session. Senator Allison, as spokesman for the Republican party, says none will be permitted by the senate. The tariff bills will not even be reported in the senate for fear of embarrassing some Republican senators from the west. Next November the people will have an opportunity to say whether or not they will suffer the personal ambitions of a half dozen politicians to stand between them and cheap clothing and other cheap necessaries of life which the Democrats have endeavored to give them.—Savannah News.

They Won't Tell, Though.

Mr. Harrison is peering through the doors ajar of the White House to catch a glimpse of Thomas C. Platt, who stopped at Washington on his way to Tennessee and had a quiet little talk with Quay and Clarkson. The "present incumbent" would give a month's salary to know what those two gentlemen said to each other, but he doesn't want that fact made public.—New York Herald.

Cannon, the Obscene.

Now that Mr. Cannon has been forgiven by his constituents and once more nominated for congress, let him be more careful what he loads up his mouth with when he talks. The obscene statesman was never fashionable in this country, and very few of them are ever given an opportunity to repent.—St. Paul Pioneer-Press.

Jerry's Bugs Unappreciated.

The Wisconsin Republican convention said a good word for Uncle Jerry Rusk, but did not instruct for him. Is it possible that Uncle Jerry's own people do not sufficiently appreciate his bug investigations?—Louisville Courier-Journal.

It Would Make Rome Howl.

Italy's ministry resigns because of a deficit of $3,000,000 in the annual budget. If that government had an occasional billion dollar congress to deal with, wonder if it wouldn't "make Rome howl."—Columbus (O.) Post.

A Baseless Rumor.

There is no truth in the rumor that Whitelaw Reid is taking lessons in parliamentary law from the celebrated Husted in anticipation of the possibility that he may have to preside over the senate.—New York Advertiser.

Serving Its Purpose.

The McKinley bill is said to be justifying itself to its framers. The statement cannot be contradicted. It is doubtless serving its intended purpose of making the rich richer and poor poorer.—St. Louis Republic.

An Interesting Show.

Several of the southern states will have two sets of delegates at Minneapolis. It is the only chance they have to figure in the fight, and as they mix the colors they help to make the show interesting.—St. Paul Globe.

All Serene in Alabama.

The political situation in Alabama, so far as Democratic harmony is concerned, is much better than it was a few weeks ago. The danger of a split no longer exists.—New Orleans States.

A Simple Matter.

When an Alabama Republican wants to hold a state convention he just goes and holds it, and if anybody else wants to hold another he is perfectly at liberty to do so.—Detroit Tribune.

Good Boating for Benny.

News comes from Missouri that Salt river is four feet higher than ever before. President Harrison will find the boating excellent.—Chicago Times.

The Brakes Are Broken.

The president has made the startling discovery that the air brakes of his toboggan are working badly.—Columbus (O.) Post.

He Knows How to Do It.

Hon. Warner Miller has consented to fall outside the breastworks at Minneapolis.—Omaha World-Herald.

A TIN BARON.

How He Took Advantage of the Expected Rise in Tin.

Baron Niedringhaus, of St. Louis, is the gentleman who in congress voted for the McKinley bill, and after returning home filled his storehouse with imported tin plate so as to take advantage of the rise in price following the imposition of the increased duty on that article. On Sunday Mr. Niedringhaus went to church. No patriotic citizen whose heart bleeds for the American workingman on every day excepting pay day ever misses church. Well, while the tin plate baron was sitting in his pew listening, with a complacent air of self righteousness, to the words of the minister, he was astounded to hear coming from the lips of the preacher the assertion that in the big cities the rich are growing richer and the poor poorer. Such a heretical confutation of protection teachings was more than the baron could endure. He arose in his seat and disputed the minister's claim with the same ardor that Podsnap once betrayed in denying that a poor girl could be a lady. The clergyman, who was not anxious to turn the house of God into a political meeting place, did not prolong the controversy, and the incident terminated.

Nowadays a Democratic journal cannot present a truthful table of statistics without provoking the ire of a high tariff contemporary. Worse yet—a minister cannot preach the Gospel without hurting the feelings of a protection baron.—Rochester Herald.

He Has Always Been So.

Senator Paddock, of Nebraska, has undertaken the task of explaining to the public how it is that Benjamin Harrison is not so widely loved and so intensely popular as his political supporters could wish he were. According to Senator Paddock it is impossible for a man occupying the responsible position of president of the United States to loosen the cockles of his heart and cultivate warm friendships. He must of necessity be absorbed in meditations on the welfare of his country. This explanation might meet the case better were it not that Benjamin Harrison has lacked the element of popularity from his boyhood. Few public men ever had a smaller circle of personal friends than he when he was in the United States senate.—Boston Herald.

It Didn't Help Much.

The "character" which Mr. Harrison gave his friend and benefactor, Judge Woods, and which was indorsed by the Republican senators, does not appear to help the judge much outside of the Republican official circles. He is reported to be "annoyed" by his treatment at the hands of the lawyers of Chicago, who seem to have been snubbing him.—Charleston News and Courier.

Lightning's Freaks.

If Mr. Harrison depends upon being again the second choice of the Republican convention after Mr. Blaine has refused the nomination he is likely to realize the truth of a much abused proverb about the habits of lightning and repetition.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

The Party Is Hard Up.

The Harrison boom is a little winded after its experience in New York, but there is no reason to suppose that it is seriously injured. The president is still the strongest candidate for the Republican nomination.—St. Louis Post-Dispath.

But What Can He Do?

The Ohio delegation is going to Minneapolis having its legs tied, with two men in it who have their weather eye on the White House. Harrison understands there is danger in such a condition.—Sidney (O.) Democrat.

Harrison as Second Fiddle.

The Illinois Republicans rather overdid their enthusiasm for Mr. Blaine. It doesn't look well to be always placing Mr. Harrison in the position of second violinist.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A Nauseous Necessity.

A majority of the delegates to Minneapolis will be at liberty to vote as they please, and it will not please the greater part of them if they are forced to vote for Ben.—St. Paul Pioneer-Press.

"Raumatism."

Harrison's administration is suffering from a severe attack of Raumatism. This may be a bad pun, but it's not half so bad as either Raum or the administration.—Omaha World-Herald.

Two First Ballots.

Harrison will be nominated on the first ballot at Minneapolis and beaten on the first ballot all over the country. Indiana included.—St. Louis Republic.

It Will Be Full—of Tears.

Governor Fifer is not a rich man. His only bar'l, as one of his best friends avers, is a rainwater bar'l. Surely it must be full.—Chicago Tribune.

A Huge Joke.

Some one would nominate Tom Reed at Minneapolis because he is a great joker. This would be the biggest joke of the age.—St. Paul Globe.

No Elections by Courtesy.

Harrison's nomination promises to be a sort of nomination by courtesy, but elections do not go that way.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Coming Home to Defeat.

Minister Porter is coming home from Italy likewise. Every vote will count in Indiana in November.—Boston Herald.

Harrison Needs a Tonic.

Mr. Harrison is trying to find out the kind of tonic Brother Blaine uses.—Atlanta Constitution.

But Don't Amount to Beans.

Amid all the turbulent political scenes Uncle Jerry Rusk is scattering peas over the country.—Columbus (O.) Post.

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Horseradish applied to the temples is said to be an excellent neuralgia remedy.

The first house built in San Francisco was erected in 1836, by Jacob Primer Lees.

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One of the smallest coins in size in the world is the new cuatroreal gold piece of Gautemala.

If the sun were a hollow air ball, it would take 1,331,000 globes the size of the earth to fill it.

Yellow and "mastic" (whitey-brown) are recommended as the best colors to use to favor the eyes.

Here is an English physician's recipe for healthy children. "Plenty of milk, plenty of sleep, and plenty of flannel."

It has been proved by instanteous photography that a horse at full trot sometimes has its four feet off the ground at once.

The entire population of the world could be provided for in the United States, allowing each person one and a half acres of land.

The shoe factories of America use one million kangaroo skins yearly. Australians have begun to raise and herd kangaroos as they would sheep.

An effort is being made to build up a big India rubber industry in Mexico, and a company has been organized to plant 100,000 rubber trees in the State of Sinaloa.

In Belgium no person is allowed to vote unless he is a taxpayer to the amount of forty francs a year. This law makes the voters only twenty-two out of every thousand of population.

Potatoes were first brought into Germany in 1710, into Russia in 1769, and into Scotland about the time of the American Revolution. The man that planted the first field in Scotland died in 1859.

It is stated that a Paris firm of glass blowers has produced some porous glass to be used for window panes. The pores are too fine to permit of draught, but cause a pleasant and healthy ventilation n a room.

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Many watches make five beats per second, 300 each minute, 18,000 every hour, or 432,000 per day. Thus it will be seen that half a dozen turns of the key once a day, taking up but a few seconds of time, stores up a modicum of power in the spring which is cut up into nearly 1,000,000 of beats. If we multiply the daily beats by 365¼, the number of days in a year, we find that the watch ticks 157,788,000 while the earth is making one annual trip around the sun.

Professor McCook, of Hartford, finds in his investigation of the tramp nuisance that of 1295 cases coming under his notice fifty-six per cent were American born, while but about ten per cent were unable to read or write. Of 1314 tramps, 459, says the professor, claimed to be strictly temperate in their use of alcoholic drinks, while thirty of them boldly declared themselves as total abstainers. It is more likely that the only really temperate ones of the 1300 and odd were the thirty who never touched a drop."

LITTLE PEOPLE.

A little girl squirmed uneasily in a Fifteenth-street car. "What ails you?" asked her mother, who was told: "The palm of my foot itches."—Philadelphia Record.

"What can I do for my little boy?" asked Mamma, "so that he won't want to eat between meals?" "Have the meals flicker together," replied the young gourmand.—New York Herald.

Little Johnny had heard the minister exhorting his hearers to strive to enter in at the strait gate. A few moments later, when the contribution-box was passed around, he whispered: "Ma, are they after the gate money?"—Boston Transcript.

A neighbor has a cute little four-year-old. While the family were speaking of the death of a lady she became apparently an interested listener, for she suddenly asked when the lady died. She was told that it occured at 11:30 that day. "What," says she, "'fore dinner?" —Portland Argus.

Eunice is a bright little girl with a taste for the stage, and some months ago she was one of a lot of chileren in kirmess dances. When the kirmess was given it happened that all of the children's dances, except the particular one in which Eunice took part, were enchored, and her mother felt some anxiety that Eunice would feel the slight. She was ready with some good excuse when Eunice should appear, but there was no need of it. "Oh, mamma," she exclaimed, as she rushed to her mother, all excitement, "ours was the best after all. All the others had to do theirs over again and we didn't."—Detroit Free Press.

A Nevada hunter spent theree months looking for a grizzly bear, and the man's relatives have spent three months looking for him. They think he must have found the bear.

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NORTHUMBERLAND	6 20	1 50	10 05	5 40
Cameron	6 35	....	.....	5 55
Chulasky	6 40	....	.....	5 58
Danville	6 48	2 12	10 26	6 05
Catawissa	7 05	2 26	10 39	
Rupert	7 12	2 31	10 44	6 23
Bloomsburg	7 20	2 36	10 49	6 29
Espy	7 27	2 43	.....	6 35
Lime Ridge	7 34	2 50	.....	6 42
Willow Grove	7 38	2 54	.....	6 46
Briarcreek	7 41	....	...	6 50
Berwick	7 48	3 04	11 12	6 56
Beach Haven	7 54	3 10	11 18	7 02
Hick's Ferry	8 00	3 17	...	7 09
Shickshinny	8 10	3 29	11 33	7 22
Hunlock's	8 21	3 39	....	7 32
Nanticoke	8 26	3 46	11 49	7 39
Avondale	8 30	3 51	....	7 43
Plymouth	8 35	3 56	11 56	7 48
Plymouth Junction	8 40	4 00	.....	7 52
Kingston	8 45	4 05	12 03	7 57
Bennett	8 49	4 08	12 06	8 02
Maltby	8 52	4 12	....	8 07
Wyoming	8 56	4 17	12 13	8 12
West Pittston	9 01	4 22	.....	8 17
Pittston	9 08	4 30	12 22	8 25
Duryea	9 12	4 34	.....	8 29
Lackawanna	9 16	4 37	.....	8 33
Taylorville	9 25	4 45	12 35	8 42
Bellevue	9 31	4 50	....	8 47
SCRANTON	9 35	4 55	12 45	8 52

STATIONS.	SOUTH. A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
SCRANTON	6 00	9 50	1 35	6 07
Bellevue	6 05	9 55	....	.....
Taylorville	6 10	10 00	1 45	6 17
Lackawanna	6 18	10 07	1 53	6 24
Duryea	6 22	10 10	1 58	6 28
Pittston	6 28	10 14	2 00	6 31
West Pittston	6 35	10 20	2 06	6 38
Wyoming	6 40	10 25	2 11	6 43
Maltby	6 44	10 28	....	....
Bennett	6 48	10 32	2 19	6 52
Kingston	6 54	10 35	2 25	6 55
Plymouth Junction	6 59	10 39	2 29	....
Plymouth	7 04	10 44	2 34	7 03
Avondale	7 09	10 48	2 38	7 07
Nanticoke	7 14	10 52	2 42	7 12
Hunlock's	7 20	10 59	2 50	7 20
Shickshinny	7 31	11 09	3 01	7 30
Hick's Ferry	7 44	11 23	3 17	7 41
Beach Haven	7 54	11 32	3 25	7 47
Berwick	8 02	11 40	3 32	7 55
Briar Creek	8 09	....	3 40	....
Willow Grove	8 13	11 10	3 44	8 02
Lime Ridge	8 17	11 56	3 50	8 06
Espy	8 24	12 04	3 58	8 12
Bloomsburg	8 31	12 12	4 05	8 18
Rupert	8 37	12 18	4 12	8 23
Catawissa	8 42	12 23	4 18	8 28
Danville	8 57	12 37	4 33	8 43
Chulasky	9 02	.....	4 46	...
Cameron	9 07	12 46	4 51	8 53
NORTHUMBERLAND	9 22	1 00	5 05	9 07

A. M. P. M. P. M. P M

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In effect May 22, 1892. Trains leave Sunday EASTWARD.

9:45 a. m. Train 14 (Daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 3:00 p. m.; New York 5:50 p. m.; Baltimore, 3:10 p. m.; Washington 4:30 p. m., connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Passenger coaches to Philadelphia Baltimore. Parlor car to Philadelphia.

1:55 p. m. Train 8, (Daily except Sunday,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6:50 p. m.; New York, 9:35 p. m.; Baltimore 6:45 p. m.; Washington 5:15 p. m. Parlor cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

5.25 p. m. Train 12 [Daily except Sunday] for Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 10:55 p. m. Baltimore 10:40 p. m. Passenger coach to Philadelphia.

8:22 p. m.—Train 6, (Daily,) for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:25 a. m.; New York 7:10 a. m. Pullman sleeping car from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

1:50 a m.—(Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:50 a m., New York 9:30 a. m., Baltimore 6:30 a. m. Washington 7:30 a. m., Pullman Sleeping cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

4:18 a. m.—Train 16 (Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Baltimore 8:45 a. m. and Washington 10:06 a. m and Pullman sleeping cars to Baltimore, Washington, and Passenger coaches to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

2:04 a. m.—Train 9 (Daily except Sunday) for Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches to Rochester.

5:10 a. m —Train 3 (Daily,) for Erie, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman palace cars and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester

9:56—Train 15 (Daily,) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

1:35 p. m.—Train 11 (Daily except Sunday) for Kane, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Rochester.

5:30 p. m.—Train 1, (Daily except Sunday) Renovo, Elmira and intermediate stations.

9:05 p. m.—Train 21, (Daily,) for Williamspo. and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Train 15—Leaves New York, 12:15 night, Philadelphia 4:20 a. m., Baltimore 4:40 a. m., Harrisburg, 8:10 a. m., daily arriving at Sunbury 9:35 a. m.

Train 11—Leaves Philadelphia 8:50 a. m., Washington 7:50 a. m., Baltimore 8:45 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 1:35 with Parlor car from Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 1—Leaves New York 9:00 a. m, Philadelphia 11:40 a. m., Washington 10:50 a. m., Baltimore 11:45 a. m, (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury 5:30 p m. with passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 21 leaves New York 2.00 p. m., Philadelphia 4:25 p. m., Washington 3:25 p. m., Baltimore 4:30 p. m. (Daily) arriving at Sunbury 9:05 p. m. Through Parlor car from Philadelphia, week days.

Train 9 leaves New York 6:30 p. m., Philadelphia 9:20 p. m., Washington 7:40 p. m., Baltimore 8:45 p. m., (Daily except Saturday,) arriving at Sunbury, 2:04 a. m. with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches from Washington and Baltimore.

Train 3 leaves New York 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia 11:20 p. m., Washington 10:00 p. m., Baltimore 11:20 p. m., (Daily,) arriving at Sunbury 5:10 a. m., with Pullman sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore

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Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10:00 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes Barre 12 10 p. m. Hazleton 12:15 p. m., Pottsville 1.25 p. m.

Train 11 leaves Sunbury 5:35 p. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:26 p. m., Wilkes-Barre 7:50 p. m. Hazleton 7:56 p. m. Pottsville 9:05 p. m.

Train 8 leaves Wilkes-Barre 7:25 a. m. Pottsville 6:00 a. m., Hazleton 7:10 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 8:47 a. m., Sunbury 9:40 a. m.

Train 10 leaves Pottsville 1:50 p. m. Hazleton 3:04 p. m. Wilkes-Barre 3:12 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 4:31 p. m., Sunbury 5:15 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10.00 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes-Barre 12:10 p. m.

Train 26 leaves Wilkes-Barre 5:10 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:39 p. m., Sunbury 7:30 p. m.

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Taking effect MONDAY, NOV. 17, 1890.

STATIONS.	SOUTH. Ar. P. M.	Ar. P. M	Ar. A. M.	NORTH. Lv. A. M.	Lv. P. M.	Lv P. M.
Bloomsburg	6 58	12 10	7 15	8 35	2 35	6 40
Main Street	6 18	12 04	7 07	8 42	2 42	6 47
Ironda	6 16	12 00	7 04	8 45	2 45	6 50
Paper Mill	6 08	11 52	6 56	8 53	2 53	6 58
Lightstreet	6 05	11 49	6 53	8 56	2 56	7 12
Orangeville	5 51	11 38	6 43	9 06	3 07	7 22
Forks	5 45	11 32	6 37	9 15	3 17	7 30
Zaner's	5 42	11 21	6 30	9 20	3 20	7 34
Millwater	5 37	11 19	6 25	9 27	3 25	7 39
Benton	5 28	11 09	6 16	9 37	3 33	7 50
Edgar	5 23	11 04	6 11	9 41	3 38	7 44
Colerain	5 19	11 02	6 09	9 44	3 42	7 48
Sugarleaf	5 18	11 17	6 13	9 48	3 46	7 52
Laubachs	5 12	10 54	6 00	9 53	3 50	7 57
Central	5 03	10 43	5 50	10 03	4 00	8 07
Jamison City	5 00	10 40	5 50	10 10	4 06	10
	Lv.	Lv.	Lv.	Ar.	Ar.	
	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	

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ORPHANS' COURT SALE

—OF VALUABLE—

REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order of the Orphans' Court the undersigned executor of Lafayette Unger deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises in Pine township, Columbia county on

SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 1892,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following described premises to-wit:

All that certain farm and tract of land situate in Pine township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded on the north by lands of A. K. Fuller, on the east by lands of Wesley Baker, on the south by lands of Susan Faus and on the west by lands of John Sanders, containing about fifty acres of land, more or less, upon which is erected a

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TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent., of one fourth to be paid at the striking down of the property. The balance of the one fourth at confirmation nisi of said sale. The other three fourths in one year with interest from confirmation absolute. Deed at the expense of the purchaser. All personal property and grain in the ground reserved. Possession will be given upon the payment of the one fourth of the purchase money.

GRANT HERRING, Atty. EDWARD EVERETT, Executor.

The Way of It.

From the New York Ledger.

When most pretty girls who are also poor reach 19 they become engaged to some poor young man and as he hasn't the money to marry on they wait until he has saved it. If the young man is improvident the process is a long and tiresome one.

While the young man is having a good time, spending sixty cents out of each spare dollar and saving forty cents for his marriage, the girl is growing a little older, a little more careworn and wasting her youth in caring for a man who, in most cases, finds some one more attractive and breaks the engagement.

If girls will look around at girls who have "waited" for such a man they will hesitate before entering upon an engagement that promises to be fruitless, and that leaves them worn out and with no faith in human nature.

Very often a girl who is waiting for an improvident young man to become rich is a slave to the caprices of a man who finally deserts her. Very often under such circumstances a woman accuses the world of faults it is not guilty of.

In a way men take very good care of themselves, for the reason that they accept the lessons of life, hard though they sometimes are; but women make the mistake of trusting too much and suffering for it.

Abraham Lincoln and Men of War Times.

BY THE VETERAN JOURNALIST, COL. A. K. M'CLURE, LL. D, EDITOR IN-CHIEF OF THE PHILADELPHIA TIMES.

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PUBLIC SALE

—OF VALUABLE—

REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order of the Orphan's Court of Columbia county, the undersigned administrator of Alem Whitmoyer, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises in Centre township, in said County, on

FRIDAY, MAY 27th, 1892,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day the following described real estate to wit:

All that certain piece, parcel, or tract of land, situate, lying and being in the said township of Centre, bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a pine tree, thence by land of said David B. Whitmire north seventy-one and a half degrees east twenty-nine and five tenth perches to a stone on west side of public road, thence diagonally across said road north seven and a quarter degrees east four and five tenth perches to a stone on the east side of said road; thence north sixty-five and three quarter degrees east twenty-three and four tenth perches to a stone; thence by land of R. Fiester south eleven degrees and twenty minutes east fifty-one and nine-tenth perches to a stone in line to land of H. K. Remley; thence by the same south seventy-six degrees west fourteen perches to the north east corner of a large rock; thence south sixty one and three quarter degrees west thirty and two tenth perches to a stone in line to land of Samuel W. Jackson; and thence by the same north twenty-four and one eighth degrees west forty-nine and five tenth perches to the place of beginning, containing fourteen acres and one hundred and twenty-three perches of land, strict measure.

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The land is in a fair state of cultivation. There are fruit trees of choice varieties on the premises. The property is situated within convenient access to churches, schools and store.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.—Ten per cent., of one fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property. The balance of the one-fourth at confirmation absolute of said sale. The other three fourths to be paid in one year with interest from confirmation nisi. Deed to be made at the expense of the purchaser. All personal property on the premises reserved.

HERRING, Atty. ELIAS YOUNG, Administrator of Alem Whitmoyer, deceased.

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Report of the Condition

—OF—

The Farmers' National Bank,

AT BLOOMSBURG, IN THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, MAY 17TH, 1892.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 100,513 05
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	4 50
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500 00
U. S. Bonds on hand	5,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc	12,837 50
Due from approved reserve agents	19,253 78
Due from other National Banks	1,521 18
Banking-house, furniture, and fixtures	4,530 00
Current expenses and taxes paid	199 28
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	2,900 00
Checks and other cash items	134 20
Bills of other banks	270 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	141 66
Specie	8,978 70
Legal-tender notes	2,015 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation.)	562 50
Total	168,322 35

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund	2,000 00
Undivided profits	643 50
National Bank notes outstanding	11,250 00
Individual deposits subject to check	103,542 75
Cashier's checks outstanding	429 61
Due to State Banks and bankers	456 49
Total	168,322 25

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } ss.
COUNTY OF COLUMBIA, }

I, Frank Ikeler, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANK IKELER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of May, 1892

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"Oh, no doubt," he thought, "the conjuror is going to make game of me by pretending that he has conjured these dolls into my pocket, but I will be more than a match for him."

The two dolls were promptly transferred to the pocket of a stout gentleman in front, and from him the original victim of the conjuror's confederate took care to sit at a distance.

By-and-by the conjuror, pretending to throw dolls among the audience, said, pointing to Dean Burgon's friend,—

"I think if that gentleman will do me the favor to look in his pocket he will find that he has the dolls."

Dean Burgon, telling the story at a breakfast, acted the visitor, exhibiting his coat pockets in proof of their being empty. Standing up on his chair at the breakfast table, and turning his back, he pulled out the linings of his pocket and showed them in an empty and flaccid state. Then, turning around, he said,—

"No, I don't carry about dolls in my pocket; but I shouldn't wonder if that stout gentleman yonder should find a doll or two in his."

Then he acted the stout gentleman, who, he explained, was a little irritable.

"What, me, sir? What do you mean, sir? I carry dolls?"

Then he put his hands into his pockets and made believe to bring out the dolls, with a look of amazement and horror—a quasi guilty look, which, as he did it, was indescribably ludicrous. The audience, he continued, were convulsed. But oh, the poor conjuror! How heavily the wheels of his entertainment seemed to drag all night afterward! Outdone in a trick by one of his spectators, who might, for all he knew, be a great adept in legerdemain, a Prospero or a Merlin.

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